

ALLIES BEAT BACK HEAVY TANK ATTACK

YANKS DRIVE AHEAD, TAKE ANOTHER AIR BASE IN SICILY

UMW OF ILLINOIS 'LOAN' CASE SENT TO JUSTICE OFFICE BY MORGENTHAU

Treasury Head Seeks Action as Result of Inquiry Into Financial Deal by Lewis Union in Fight on Rival PMA.

By a Washington Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, July 15.—Secretary Morgenthau said today the Treasury has forwarded the results of an Illinois investigation involving the United Mine Workers' Union and its president, John L. Lewis, to the Attorney General "for such action as he sees fit."

While Morgenthau was careful to keep within the bounds of the law, which forbids advance discussion of income tax cases by officials, he did not conceal his impatience that no action had been taken by the Department of Justice.

Behind this is a sharp controversy over the course to be followed in this extraordinary case which was disclosed exclusively in the Post-Dispatch last October.

As told in the Post-Dispatch at that time, the United Mine Workers made a secret "loan" of about \$300,000 to Carl Elshoff, lessee of Mines A and B at Springfield, Ill. Shortly after he received part of the "loan" Elshoff closed down Mine B in which the rival Progressive Miners had won a Labor Board election. It was reopened later with a UMW crew, which unions also mine Mine A.

The income tax agents, in their investigation, questioned Illinois UMW officials, including Ray Edmondson, president of the Illinois district.

Biddle's Reaction. At the Department of Justice it was said that the case was under study. It is known that Attorney General Francis Biddle thinks considerably less of the presentation than does Morgenthau, who has been pressing for action.

According to reports, President Roosevelt was informed of the controversy between the two cabinet members and intimated he would welcome a Congressional investigation into the whole matter. There is no indication, however, that any Congressional committee intends to take it up.

Lewis is not, so far as is known, directly involved. It is true, however, that Edmondson is very close to him. The boss of the Illinois District has sometimes been described as "Lewis's hatchetman." Shortly after Internal Revenue Agents visited Springfield to inquire into the case, Lewis was in the city.

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THE TEMPERATURES

1 a. m.	75	9 a. m.	80
2 a. m.	77	10 a. m.	82
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4 a. m.	79	12 m.	86
5 a. m.	80	1 p. m.	87
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1 p. m.	88	9 p. m.	95
2 p. m.	89	10 p. m.	96
3 p. m.	90	11 p. m.	97
4 p. m.	91	12 m.	98

Actual maximum 90, minimum 77 (6:45 a. m.).

Relative humidity at 1 p. m. today, 41 per cent.

Weather in other cities—Page 5D

Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Continued warm tonight and tomorrow forenoon.

Missouri: Warmer in north, little change in temperature in south half of State tonight; continued warm tomorrow forenoon.

Illinois: Little change in temperature tonight and tomorrow forenoon, except not so cool in northwest portion tonight.

Sunset, 8:26; sunrise (tomorrow), 5:47.

Stage of the Mississippi at St. Louis, 23.2 feet, at a fall of 0.1; Missouri at St. Charles, 21.5 feet, at a fall of 0.2.

(All weather data, including forecast and temperatures, supplied by United States Weather Bureau.)

Police court, 10 hours to 9 a. m.; case, 10; plaintiff, 4.



WPB LAYS DOWN STORE CODE TO REDUCE CLOTHES BUYING

'Scarcity' Advertising Barred, Comparative Price Appeals Limited—Compliance Will Be Voluntary.

WASHINGTON, July 15 (AP).—A wartime code of selling practices, aimed at discouraging excess buying and thus heading off the rationing of clothes, was laid down for textile dealers today by Donald M. Nelson, head of the War Production Board.

The declaration of policy dooms for the duration all "scarcity" advertising and such remarks by store clerks as, "You had better buy several of these—we may not get any more."

Even the time-honored price comparison appeal—"Our price \$6.95, regularly \$8.95"—must be eliminated from advertising unless the sale is a genuine clearance, and the word "sale" must be shunned. The only permitted price comparison is with the Government ceiling.

The code was worked out with representatives of large and small retailers by Arthur D. Whiteside, director of the WPB Office of Civilian Requirements.

"This is the most important and broadest step in individual commercial self-regulation ever attempted in this country," Whiteside said in telegrams to merchants' organizations.

The Government will not police stores for enforcement. Compliance is voluntary as long as the plan works. Whiteside's telegrams hinted at the alternative—Government control of selling. He said he was certain retailers would conserve civilian supplies by the program and thus "eliminate the necessity for stringent regulations."

The policy declaration starts with the flat statement, "The War Production Board has established the fact that there is an adequate supply of textiles to meet essential civilian needs." To assure equitable distribution of those supplies, it Continued on Page 8, Column 4.

DEAD SOLDIER'S SON IS 'ADOPTED' BY HIS FATHER'S SQUADRON

'Sergeant' William Funderburk Jr. Will Get \$125 Monthly From Unit in England.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., July 15 (AP).—"Sergeant" William Funderburk Jr. boasts the distinction of being the youngest member of an American Air Force squadron.

The eight-pound baby was born to Mrs. Funderburk Tuesday. His father, Master Sgt. Funderburk, who formerly was based at Morris Field here, was killed in England, May 27, when a jeep overturned.

In memory of their comrade, the 213 members of Funderburk's squadron wrote Mrs. Funderburk requesting that they be permitted to "adopt" the unborn baby and of sending it a monthly allowance.

The young "Sergeant" now has on hand 25 pounds (about \$125) in English money and will receive the same amount monthly. His mother has a check for \$180 from the squadron to help pay the expenses of the baby's birth.

On the way to England is a picture of the baby which is to be posted on the bulletin board at squadron headquarters. His name will be added to the roster as an honorary member of the squadron.

DEFENDANT'S COURT SERMON COSTS HIM ANOTHER YEAR

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., July 15 (AP).—A 65-minute sermon in United States District Court here yesterday cost Clinton Fred Pfister an extra year in a Federal Reformatory today. Pfister, 30 years old, had been making \$360 a month at a Detroit war plant when he ignored the summons of his draft board at West Plains, Mo. The plea he made, religious scruples which he had not mentioned previously.

Conducting his own defense yesterday, he stood in the witness box and pleaded, Bible in hand, to the jury and about 50 members of his sect, terming this "Satan's work."

"Not content with failing your Government in its hour of peril and agony," the judge told Pfister today, "you stood here and tried to argue other men into failing your Government. That's why I am adding the extra year."

Phonograph Records of Barking To Be Used in Suit Over Dog's Noise

Phonograph recordings of dogs barking at night will be introduced in Circuit Court at Clayton as evidence to support an injunction suit filed yesterday against Ralph Crancer, 60 Grantwood lane, by his Grantwood Village neighbor, Dr. David P. Ferris, a physician.

Dr. Ferris, who appealed to the court to order Crancer to silence his Doberman pinscher and his beagle at night, made the recordings in the bedroom of his home at 62 Grantwood lane, his attorney reported. The recordings purportedly show how the staccato barks of the pinscher and the long-drawn-out howls of the beagle mingle in a neighborhood-disturbing symphony. They will be presented at a hearing July 23.

Crancer, startled at the suit, told a Post-Dispatch reporter that "Dr. Ferris must be hearing somebody bark at night. His two-year-old Doberman pinscher, he said, slept in the house, and his one and one-half-year-old beagle was locked in the garage every night.

Dogs have aroused Dr. Ferris before. In April, 1942, he unsuccessfully sought an injunction to prevent dogs owned by Crancer and other neighbors from prowling on his lawn and damaging shrubs and flowers.

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LOU MAXON QUILTS OPA, ASSAILS THE 'PROFESSORS' AND 'SLIDE-RULE BOYS'

Houdini Himself Couldn't Untangle Red Tape, He Says—Brown Names Chester Bowles as His Senior Deputy.

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WASHINGTON, July 15 (AP).—Lou R. Maxon, Detroit advertising executive who bounded into Washington several months ago confident that he was just what the Office of Price Administration needed, bounced right out late yesterday with the conviction that Houdini himself couldn't untangle OPA's "legalistic red tape."

He resigned as Deputy Administrator in charge of public information.

Chester Bowles, Connecticut administrator for the OPA, was appointed today as senior deputy administrator for the national organization—second only to Administrator Prentiss M. Brown. Brown announced the appointment, but said Bowles, a New York advertising man, had not yet accepted the position.

Bowles is chairman of Benton & Bowles, Inc. A secretary last night handed out Maxon's farewell statement, in which he criticized "confusion, indecision, compromise, miles of legalistic red tape, and the presence of theorists in policy-making position."

Maxon denounced OPA's "professors" and "slide-rule boys." After weeks of consultation, Maxon said, he "decided that I cannot accept the position of general manager of OPA and have also reached the conclusion that I cannot continue to be associated with OPA in any capacity."

Brown declined today to discuss "background and reasons" behind Maxon's statement. Brown said it would add nothing to the war effort abroad nor the peace effort on the home front to discuss the personalities involved, but he answered specific charges made by Maxon.

To the question, "Has OPA a policy?" Brown replied: "It has. It is clear and unmistakable. It is to bend every effort to comply with the direction of the Stabilization Act and maintain the general relationship and levels of prices and wages as of September 15, 1942."

Neither Maj. Solomon nor War Manpower Commission officials who participated in a press conference would discuss directly the drafting of fathers or attempt to predict precisely when it would begin.

BOMB 20 MINUTES EARLIER WOULD HAVE HIT PATTON

By HAROLD V. BOYLE Representing the Combined American Press.

WITH THE AMERICAN SEVENTH ARMY AT GELA, SICILY, July 12 (Delayed) (AP).—Twenty minutes after Lieut. Gen. George S. Patton Jr. came ashore Sunday to direct American troops engaged in a hard battle with the Germans on Gela beach, German bombs struck at the exact point on which he had landed.

He toured the front line a command car which flew a three-star pennant of his rank in disregard of any personal danger from snipers.

JACK DEMPSEY IS AWARDED CUSTODY OF TWO CHILDREN

Mother to Be Permitted 'Reasonable Rights of Visitation' Under Court Decision.

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., July 15 (AP).—Supreme Court Referee J. Addison Young announced today that he had given the custody of the two Dempsey children to their father, Lieut. Gen. Jack Dempsey, "with reasonable rights of visitation" to their mother, Mrs. Hannah Williams Dempsey.

The decision was reached, he said, at a private hearing this morning in his chambers which was attended by attorneys for Dempsey, former heavyweight boxing champion, and his wife, from whom he obtained an interlocutory decree of divorce 10 days ago. Neither Dempsey nor Mrs. Dempsey attended.

Young said that "as long as they have been in his (Dempsey's) custody for some time, we can leave the arrangement as it is." He added that an arrangement under which Mrs. Dempsey frequently was permitted to see the children, Joan, 8 years old, and Barbara, 6, was already in effect.

BRITAIN-TO-MOSCOW AIR ROUTE

Journey Requires Three and One-Half Days Via Cairo.

LONDON, July 15 (AP).—Air service on a regular schedule has been opened between Britain and Moscow by British Overseas Airways, it was disclosed today.

The journey requires three and one-half days with a 24-hour layover at Cairo. Egypt. The route of the flight, it was disclosed, is over North Africa to Cairo, with stops at Habbaniyah, Iraq; Pahlavi, Iran; Astrakhan, Kulbyshayev and Moscow.

DRAMATIC STORY OF PARATROOPS' FIGHT BY WRITER INJURED IN JUMP

Some of Yanks Landed on Pillboxes, Overwhelmed Them With Grenades and Gups—St. Louisan Routs Tank.

By JOHN THOMPSON Chicago Tribune Correspondent Representing the Combined American Press.

Distributed by the Associated Press. WITH AMERICAN AIRBORNE TROOPS IN SICILY (Delayed).—

Spearheading the invasion of Sicily, an American parachute troop combat team has just completed a brilliant and tough mission, fulfilling the expectations of the largest airborne combat operation ever attempted by the United States Army.

Since late Friday night, when they landed by the light of a waning moon, they have been fighting crack German and Italian troops, killing and capturing hundreds and hundreds. They have fought as small guerrilla bands, attacking pillboxes and strong points with grenades, antitank weapons and knives and they have fought as a small but rugged team against the German Hermann Goering Grenadiers and tanks.

Considerable Losses. They have taken rather heavy losses but they never gave ground. And it was largely through their slashing, demoralizing attacks on strongly prepared enemy positions that the advance of the much larger force coming in behind them was accomplished in the area around Vittoria.

It would take a book to tell the full story of this operation and it will be days before all the details are even learned, for almost every man who jumped did a job worthy of an Army medal. But this much at least can be told by a correspondent who jumped with them to make his second combat jump and this by night.

St. Louisan Leads Attack. There were many instances of gallantry by the Americans. For example, Lieut. H. H. Swinger, 25 years old, of St. Louis, of the Headquarters company, who led the final assault on the enemy hill with a force that included riggers, company clerks, cooks and orchestra.

Reported Back in Berlin From His "Front" Headquarters in Poland.

LONDON, July 15 (AP).—A foreign diplomatic source reported today that Adolf Hitler, after having commanded the early phases of the German offensive in the Belgorod sector, had relinquished control of the stalled attack and had returned to Berlin for conferences with his military staff.

The source, who could not be further identified, said his information came from inside Germany.

He said Hitler had been directing the offensive from the Castle Bninzka, near Bydgoszcz in the old Polish corridor, where he maintained "front line" headquarters.

MOSCOW, July 15 (AP).—The Soviet press quoted a captured German officer as saying that Adolf Hitler had issued an order at the outset of the present Nazi offensive in Russia, declaring that "this blow must be of decisive importance—it must be the turning point of the war—the last great battle before German victory."

NAZIS SHELLING ITALIANS WHO SURRENDER TO YANKS

By MICHAEL CHINIGO Representing the Combined American Press.

(Distributed by the Associated Press.) WITH THE WESTERN TASK FORCE (Delayed).—The Germans apparently are bombing Italian civilians deliberately, and German artillery has been shelling groups of Italian prisoners whenever they surrendered to us.

In occupied towns the Americans found jails stuffed with anti-Fascists, who said they had been rounded up two weeks before the landing.

U. S. Tanks Fighting in Sicily



Associated Press Wirephoto from U. S. Army Signal Corps Radiophoto. American tank gunners smash Italian pillboxes on a Sicilian hill to clear the way for advancing troops on the left flank of the Allied invasion front. Additional pictures from Sicily in the Everyday Magazine.

SOVIET OFFENSIVE 300 BOMBERS HIT DRIVES NAZIS BACK MESSINA HARBOR IN OREL SECTOR AND RAIL TARGETS

Reds Kill 12,000 Germans, Capture 110 Populated Places—Advance 28 Miles in Three Days.

LONDON, July 15 (AP).—A special Russian communiqué announced tonight that the Red Army had gone over to the offensive in the Orel sector, 200 miles south of Moscow, and advanced about 28 miles on a 25-mile front north of Orel and captured more than 50 populated places.

The communiqué, broadcast from Moscow and recorded by the Soviet monitor, said a second drive on Orel from the east resulted in an advance of 12 to 15 miles on an 18-mile front and the capture of 60 inhabited localities.

Two thousand Germans were captured east of Orel and 12,000 killed, the announcement said.

Three-Day Drive. In the three-day drive, the communiqué said, the district center of Ulyanovo and the large populated places of Staritsa, Sporokino, Molnovo, Budorovsky, Lukinsky, Protivno, Shvanovo, Yagodnaya, Yelensk and Klen were captured north of Orel.

East of Orel the Red Army occupied the large populated places of Vazhik, Orlovka, Vysokoye, Pobednoye, Syukhova and Brezovkyh.

In the course of the offensive the German Fifty-sixth, 262d and 293d infantry divisions were routed along with the Fifth and Eighteenth tank divisions, it was said.

Heavy losses also were inflicted on three other German infantry divisions and two motorized divisions.

Offensive Continues. Captured booty included 40 tanks, 210 guns and 187 mortars, the announcement said, and 109 tanks, 47 guns and 294 planes were destroyed.

"The offensive of our troops continues," the communiqué said in concluding its account of this sector, it reported Russian troops also had attacked the Germans in the Orel Kursk area and had repulsed German tank and infantry attacks in the Belgorod sector.

Military observers here speculated that the German offensive in the Orel sector would be repulsed.

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Italian General in Comiso Gives Up to U. S. Engineers Captain

By CLINTON GREEN Representing the Combined United States Press.

Distributed by the Associated Press. WITH AMERICAN TROOPS IN SICILY, July 15.—"It isn't every day in the week that a Captain in the Engineers captures an Italian General, but I did it," Capt. James Bevevek of Albuquerque, N. M., said today.

His right arm in a sling, injured when he fell from a jeep, Capt. Bevevek recalled how he was standing on a street corner in the town of Comiso.

"Apparently the General recognized my Captain's bars and decided he didn't want to surrender to a private," said Bevevek. "That was okay with me. He

GERMANS REACH AUGUSTA HARBOR BUT BRITISH FORCE THEM TO RETIRE

Axis Resistance Stiffening—Americans Advance 4 Miles in Mountains, Capturing Important Height.

By RELMAN MORIN

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA, July 15 (AP).—The jaws of an Allied clamp have taken a deeper bite on Eastern Sicily after a furious battle in which the British Eighth Army hurled back a powerful counterattack by Nazi armored forces, headquarters reports said today.

The greatest advance was scored by a combined American, Canadian, and British force in the center where a gain of six or seven miles was made in the Ragusa-Vizzini sector on a line parallel with the British east coast push.

Led by Lieut. Gen. George S. Patton Jr., the Americans on the west flank dug into the difficult mountains, marking up a gain of about four miles, capturing another important airfield and taking important heights.

Another Italian general commanding the Fifty-fourth Napoli Division, surrendered with his staff south of Vizzini. Vizzini is about 25 miles west and slightly south of captured Augusta, and about the same distance northeast of Gela.

Against sterner resistance, the Eighth Army of Gen. Sir Bernard Montgomery drove to the town of Brucoli, four miles north of the port of Augusta after weathering a crisis yesterday in which the German armored forces actually reached the harbor at one time.

British Unit Cut Off. A British brigade in the strategic harbor city, under Allied domination since Monday evening, was isolated temporarily by the enemy thrust, but the British counterattacked and drove on to Brucoli.

Today's communiqué from Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's headquarters said the British gained "some miles" yesterday and that Augusta was now firmly in Allied hands.

Military sources said the battle at Augusta began at dawn when the German tanks hit the British line and broke through temporarily. But Montgomery immediately reformed his lines and by noon not only had knocked the

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Today's War News

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA.—British Eighth Army beats off strong German armored counterattack at Augusta, and drives on four miles north of port; Americans advance four miles into mountains on Allied west flank, taking airfield and important height, and combined American-British-Canadian force gains six miles in northward drive above Ragusa; Axis resistance generally becoming stiffer; 300 Allied bombers attack Messina.

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN SOUTHWEST PACIFIC.—United States and Australian troops closing in on Muho area of New Guinea "for decisive action," capture one strong point and cut off Japanese force; Allied planes continue air blockade of enemy garrison at Munda, New Georgia Island, destroying two barges and a cargo vessel.

MOSCOW.—Broadcast communiqué announces Red Army has launched offensive in Orel sector, advancing 28 miles in one area, and 12 to 15 miles in another; 12,000 Nazis killed and 110 populated places captured in three-day drive; in Belgorod sector to the south, Russians recapture several villages and repulse German tank attacks.

LONDON.—Large formations of Allied planes cross English Channel in new daylight attack against Europe; German radio reports violent air fighting over Channel and Northern France.

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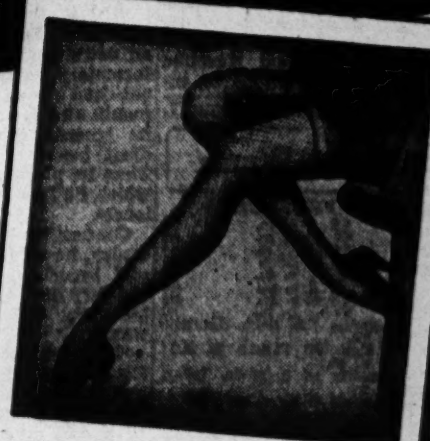


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BANK LOAN BILL FIGHT IS DROPPED

Backers Give Up When They Decide They Can't Count on 18 Votes Needed for Action.

By CURTIS A. BETTS
State Political Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, July 15.—Both houses of the Legislature today adopted a resolution to end the legislative session on or before Saturday, but to remain in recess until Monday, Aug. 23, when the Legislature will adjourn sine die. Either house may be convened by its presiding officer within the recess period, but the whole Legislature may be recalled into session only by agreement of the presiding officers.

The announced purpose of the recess is to give the Bailey investigation committee in the House power to continue its inquiry into the affairs of the Public Expenditure Survey. Legislative committee lose all power when the Assembly finally adjourns.

Bankers Drop Fight.
Missouri bankers and their attorneys made known today their decision to abandon the effort to revive the bank loan bill, following the adverse report of the Senate Banking Committee. After a careful check, they decided they could not count on the 18 votes necessary to override the committee's report and place the measure on the Senate calendar.

Before accepting defeat, the backers of the bill tried to place political pressure on Republican Senators to support the bill, which would have permitted banks to make small loans at rates higher than their present legal limit.

Within the past few days A. D. (Bud) Welsh, chairman of the St. Louis County Election Board, was added to the force of lawyers supporting the bank loan bill, consisting previously of Robert J. Kratky and Robert Neil Jr. of St. Louis, and former State Senator Allen McReynolds of Carthage. Welsh and Kratky devoted their time to Republican Senators.

There were reports yesterday afternoon that the necessary 16 votes, or even 19, had been obtained by the bill's supporters, but these reports were followed by the discovery that one or more of those counted on had slipped. It seemed that there were three or four senators who were willing to cast the eighteenth vote for the motion to place the bill on the calendar, but none willing to cast the fifteenth, sixteenth or seventeenth vote.

One Bill Passed.
The Senate last night passed the loan and investment company act but with amendments which will necessitate its return to the House for concurrence.

This bill had been held in the Senate Banking Committee by Senator Emery W. Allison, chairman, with the bankers' bill and the credit union bill, which also was reported adversely yesterday afternoon. It was designed to correct abuses in the lending business by a group of loan and investment companies.

It places them under the control of the State Commissioner of Finance, and drastically limits their use of the investigation fee and hazard charge in making loans. It has been the custom of some companies to make small loans and to require their renewal weekly or monthly and each time charge a \$1 fee for investigation of the credit of the borrower. On automobile loans some companies have made a flat charge of \$20 as a "hazard" fee, which gave the borrower the right to turn over the car to the lender at any time in full payment of the debt, no matter what the condition of the car.

The bill passed by the House limits the investigation fee to two per cent of the amount of the loan and the hazard fee five per cent of the amount of the loan, with a minimum charge of \$5 and a maximum of \$20 regardless of the size of the loan. It provides that neither charge can be made to the same borrower more than once in any six months period.

EX-CONVICT GETS 5 YEARS FOR FORUM CAFETERIA HOLDUP

Arthur Joseph Cousen, former convict, today was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary for robbery of the Forum Cafeteria, 307 North Seventh street. He pleaded guilty before Circuit Judge Eugene J. Sartorius.

The robber, 43 years old, was captured on June 2 a few minutes after he forced a cashier to give him \$59. Ivan H. Light, attorney, heard three shots fired by a policeman and seized Cousen as he ran from an alley near the cafeteria.

Henry Fonda Denies Paternity Charge; 'Never Met the Woman'



BARBARA THOMPSON—Associated Press Wirephoto.

Actor, Now in Navy, Issues Denial Through Wife and Authorities After Divorcee Files Suit.

LOS ANGELES, July 15 (AP).—Movie Actor Henry Fonda has denied categorically, through his wife and through naval authorities where he is stationed, that he is the father of a daughter born three weeks ago to Mrs. Barbara Thompson, 25-year-old divorcee.

The denials were in answer to Mrs. Thompson's suit asserting Fonda is the father of the girl she has named Sharon Fonda and demanding that he pay \$5000 medical expenses, \$10,000 attorney fees, \$2500 court costs and \$2000 monthly support.

Fonda, now a Navy quartermaster third class attached to a destroyer, phoned his wife yesterday from Seattle. Mrs. Fonda, the former Frances Brokaw, reported: "Henry told me he didn't know the girl and had never met her. He denied the charges emphatically."

CIVIL CODE REVISION BILL FINALLY PASSED

Measure, Although Badly Mauling by Legislature, Considered Big Step Forward.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.
JEFFERSON CITY, July 15.—The Senate today completed passage of the Supreme Court's bill to revise the State's 100-year-old civil code to make possible speedier and cheaper justice in civil actions.

The bill, although badly mauled in its course through the Legislature, finally emerged with many important features intact, and is considered a long step toward improvement of the code.

Extremely technical in character, the bill, which will become a law when signed by the Governor, shortens court proceedings in many respects and provides for quicker action on appeals. Many of the technicalities of the present code which lawyers could take advantage of to prolong litigation are eliminated by the new law.

The principal improvements which the Supreme Court desired to have made and which were defeated by amendments proposed to require that specific objections must be made to jury instructions before being submitted to the jury if they were to be assigned as error on appeal, and that in motions for new trials the allegation of error must be specifically made, and not generally. The House adopted 11 amendments to the bill as it was passed in the Senate, but none of them was objectionable to its advocates and all were accepted by the Senate.

U. S. CONCILIATOR TAKES HAND IN EAST SIDE REFINERY STRIKE

Representatives of 400 construction employees on strike at the refinery of the Standard Oil Co., Wood River, Ill., and officers of the M. W. Kellogg Contracting Co. met with Federal Labor Conciliator A. E. Johnson of St. Louis today in an attempt to iron out differences which resulted in a suspension of work yesterday and today. The Kellogg company is constructing a catalytic cracking unit for manufacture of aviation gasoline for the Army and Navy.

The workers left their jobs in protest against being penalized for stopping work ahead of quitting time to walk about a mile to the main gate of the plant, where time clocks are situated.



HENRY FONDA

and said the suit was ridiculous." Mrs. Thompson, who said she met Fonda in Imperial, Cal., in September, 1942, is the mother of three other children, Ernest, 7, and Jo Anne and Carole Ann, 6-year-old twins. Court records disclosed she was divorced Aug. 13, 1942, from Oliver C. Thompson, 35, then a naval warrant officer.

OPA HEAD FORECASTS BEEF SUPPLY INCREASE

Eastern Pleasure Driving Bar to Be Lifted 'As Soon as Possible.'

WASHINGTON, July 15 (AP).—Price Administrator Prentiss Brown predicted today that beef-hungry civilians would receive increased supplies as the result of a heavy movement of livestock to market and said the pleasure driving bar in the East would be lifted for A card holders "as soon as possible."

Brown also told a press conference:

1. The price of corn will remain at present levels. He said corn was moving to market under the present price regulation now that "uncertainty" has been eliminated by the House Agriculture Committee's refusal to require higher prices, as proposed by the Senate.

2. There is no "present move" to place ceiling at the live animal level on beef, because OPA wants to give the industry "every chance to work out the problem" and a beef ceiling would be "most difficult to work out."

3. He now is discussing with Food Administrator Marvin Jones a proposed maximum price on live hogs, but declined to predict whether it would be put into effect.

4. The oil situation is better, the war demand remaining the uncertain factor in the situation. Brown said he had always opposed the pleasure driving bar, "except and unless absolutely necessary," feeling that A card holders should be permitted to use their small rations as they see fit. The pleasure driving bar in the Northeastern states will be lifted as soon as possible, but holders of B, C and T books must continue to use their rations for specific purposes.

Simultaneously Secretary Ickes, the petroleum administrator, said he was providing all gasoline possible for Eastern motorists, and no easing of driving restrictions was foreseeable.

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TWO MORE LIQUOR INSPECTORS HEARD IN WALLACH CASE

Defense of County Prosecuting Attorney in Ouster Proceeding Expected Next Week.

The parade of liquor law violation records, constituting the State's case for ouster of Prosecuting Attorney Stanley Wallach of St. Louis County, continued at today's session of the hearing in Clayton Courthouse. The State, charging Wallach with neglecting his law enforcement duties, expects to complete its testimony tomorrow, and the defense probably will be heard next week.

Witnesses today were George Liebig and George D. McCarthy, State liquor inspectors, following reading of depositions of Frank Scheible, former agent now in war service. Liebig and McCarthy testified that they visited Linder's Super-Market, Manchester and Woodlawn avenues, Sunday, Dec. 7, 1941, Pearl Harbor day, and that Mrs. Liebig, who was with them, asked Proprietor Edward Linder for a bottle of gin, which he got for her, though saying he did not sell liquor on Sunday "as a general rule." Linder, it was brought out, said afterward that he thought the men were State Highway Department employees.

The Rev. Jasper C. Caston, Negro, Sixth Ward member of the St. Louis Board of Aldermen and until last February a State liquor inspector, testified as to two cases in which he charged Negro tavern keepers with violation of the law. In one prosecution, he said, he failed to testify because the summons for his appearance in justice court came too late; in the other case, he was unable to identify the proprietor as the seller.

Uncertain on Cases' Outcome.
Other cases related by the witnesses today and yesterday, as in the sessions at Jefferson City last week, were instances of sale of whisky by holders of 3.2 per cent beer licenses, or of no license at all, or of sales after hours Sunday morning. In some cases evidence was taken away by the inspectors, in other cases none was taken; there were cases in which the witnesses could identify the sellers, others in which they could not. Usually, they were unable to state what final disposition had been made of the cases.

Commissioner Roscoe P. Conkling of St. Joseph, presiding at the hearing, asked yesterday whether there would be testimony later as to disposition of several cases testified to by former Inspector Verne Baker, which, Conkling remarked, "appear to hang in the air."

"Certainly," replied Jacob M. Leashly, chief defense counsel, "that our side of this case." He stated, it is expected, will show that a number of the cases were placed before grand juries, and that those bodies refused to vote indictments. The defense contends that the present liquor laws, particularly that prohibiting sale by the drink in unincorporated areas, have proved impossible of enforcement.

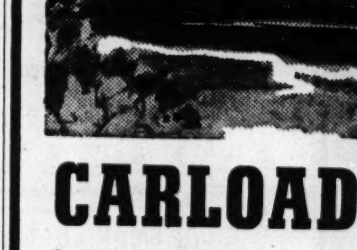
Baker testified as to a charge against Tom Schack, proprietor of the Hilltop Tavern, 9247 Gravois road, of selling liquor without a license, and said the case was filed in Justice of the Peace A. G. Janopulo's Court, and that the Justice in July, 1941, told the Prosecuting Attorney to file a brief. "So far as I know," the witness said, "the Court is still studying the brief."

Sold Him Drink, Pointed to Clock. Baker, who is now supervisor of the Cape Girardeau enforcement district, testified that Charles F. Dobbins, proprietor of an inn on Hall's Ferry road, sold him whisky early on Sunday morning, Jan. 19, 1941, and that Dobbins pointed to the clock, showing the time to be 35 minutes after midnight, and said he had to disregard the legal closing time to make any money.

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CLARK CONFERS WITH ROOSEVELT FOR 90 MINUTES

Believed to Have Talked About Investigation of Postwar Aviation by Subcommittee.

By RAYMOND P. BRANDT
Chief Washington Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, July 15.—Senator Bennett Clark (Dem.), Missouri, a bitter opponent of many administration domestic and international policies, conferred for an hour and a half last yesterday with President Roosevelt at the White House at the President's invitation.

The unusual meeting was interpreted in some political quarters as an attempt by the President to patch up past differences. The theory behind this speculation was that both are expected to be candidates for re-election next year. A more plausible theory is that the President wanted to reach an understanding with Clark, who is chairman of a Senate subcommittee to investigate postwar civil aviation, on the scope of the subcommittee's activities. The subcommittee is scheduled to begin its investigation in September.

Clark declined to discuss his talk with the President but it is known that he asked Secretary of State Hull not to make any commitments at a prospective United Nations conference on postwar aviation until the subcommittee had had an opportunity to make its own investigation. Secretary Hull, it is understood, was noncommittal. Clark indicated that postwar civil aviation was discussed with the President yesterday but declined to say whether an agreement had been reached.

At the start of the conference the President thanked the Missouri Senator for his help in getting extension of the trade agreements act for two years and congratulated him on his persistent fight against the rider to the urgency deficiency bill ordering the discharge of three Federal employees for alleged "subversive affiliations."

The President and Clark had described this rider as an unconstitutional "bill of attainder," and the President indicated at his press conference Tuesday that he intended to ignore it.

Postwar Plan of Government-Financed Aviation Drafted.
WASHINGTON, July 15 (AP).—A postwar plan of Government-regulated and financed aviation has been drawn up for action by Congress in the fall.

The bill has been drafted in the House Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee and copies now are circulating among aviation interests for suggestions.

The bill would transform the Civil Aeronautics Authority into the "Civil Aeronautics Commission" with an independent status and sweeping powers for the promotion, regulation and investigation of American aviation.

Sixteen domestic airlines called today for "free and open competition" under private ownership and management, in international aviation after the war. The declaration was included in a notice of intention filed with the Civil Aeronautics Board in which the airlines said they would seek routes to various foreign trade areas.

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SCOTT FIELD TO CONTINUE EXCLUSIVELY AS RADIO SCHOOL
The Army Air Forces school at Scott Field, Ill., will continue to train only radio personnel despite a change in organization of the Air Forces which makes the field a part of the new Army Air Forces Training Command.

In clarification of yesterday's announcement of the change an officer at the field said today the functions of the Army Air Forces Technical Training Command and the Flying Training Command have been combined under the new title, but the functions of individual units remain the same. Scott Field was under the supervision of the Technical Training Command.

ASSERTS COLUMBIA BOTTOMS SITE WOULD RETARD CITY'S AIR PROGRESS
Airlines Executive Urges Location of Second Major Airport in Southern Part of St. Louis County.

The full potentialities of St. Louis as a leading air center will be realized much more slowly if Columbia Bottoms is selected for a second major airport instead of a site in South St. Louis County, Amos Culbert, vice-president of American Airlines, told the special airport committee of the Board of Aldermen today.

"St. Louis can develop into a leading position in the airline field," Culbert asserted, "just as it now holds such a position as a railroad center, but proper facilities must be furnished if the potentialities are to be realized."

He pointed out, however, that the airlines' committee which he heads did not wish to rule out Columbia Bottoms as an entirely unsuitable site, but insisted air transportation development could not come so fast there because of adverse weather conditions and its greater distance from the city.

Culbert also developed before the committee the points in opposition to Columbia Bottoms and in favor of a site south of the city which he presented yesterday in a report at a meeting of the City Airport Commission. This report recommended two sites in South St. Louis County.

Both recommended sites are in areas where airports are prohibited by the St. Louis County Planning Commission's major airport plan. Conrad L. Loesch, Planning Commission chairman, who attended yesterday's meeting, said the Planning Commission would not reconsider or change its plan.

The airlines committee recommended that the new airport be located at either the Tesson Ferry site, Gravois road and Lindbergh boulevard, or the Gravois Creek site, Morganford and Bayless roads. It was also urged that the city have a comprehensive survey made of the Tesson Ferry site along the lines of that already

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made of the Gravois Creek site by the engineering consulting firm of Horner and Shiffrin, and that the county revise its zoning plan to the extent necessary to permit the airport to be located at the site chosen and to prohibit the industrialization of the airport area.

In its criticism of the Columbia Bottoms site, the airlines' committee said "the ever-existing flood threats are now apparent to everyone," and asserted the proposed fill to raise the land above high water marks would be "expensive, time-consuming and create substantial maintenance and upkeep costs."

The committee asserted Columbia Bottoms is subject to the "same frequent restrictive meteorological conditions as Lambert Field so that in times of fog both fields are likely to be closed in." The south end of the county is generally more free of fog than the northern part, the committee said, and meteorological conditions in St. Louis County are such that when northern part is closed in by weather conditions, the southern section is likely to be open, and vice versa, thus assuring a more continuous and reliable service.

St. Louis is already at a disadvantage in development of air transportation because of the distance of Lambert Field from the centers where traffic originates, the report said, and the Columbia Bottoms location "aggravates even more the present retarding conditions." Either of the southern sites is much closer to city and county traffic centers than Columbia Bottoms, it was asserted.

Max H. Doyle, chairman of the Airport Commission, said members of the commission would be given an opportunity to study the report before another meeting is scheduled to consider "whether there is anything to be done."

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4 MORE EXPECTED TO GIVE UP TODAY OVER MOB KILLING

8 Others Have Surrendered—Ex-Sheriff Says He Never Saw Negro That Posse Shot.

Former Sheriff John Trierweiler of Terre Haute, Ind., and three former deputies, who are under indictment with nine other residents of Indiana and Illinois for conspiracy to violate Federal civil rights law in the mob-killing of a Negro last Oct. 12, were expected to surrender today to the United States Marshal at Danville, Ill.

Eight of the nine others surrendered yesterday or posted \$2000 bond each. They are James Houston, Ed Garwood, Ernest Poynter, Erret Bozarth, Hubert Tweedy and Charles Price, all of Edgar County, Ill., and Guy Morris and Martin Kiado of Vigo County, Indiana. Kenneth Bozarth of Edgar County, was to appear today at Danville. Arraignment is scheduled for Monday.

Trierweiler, in commenting on the indictment, expressed bewilderment, declaring that neither he nor the three former deputies James Elliott, Herbert Seasey and Pearl Miller—had ever seen the Negro, James Edward Person, an honorably discharged soldier, who was fatally shot by an unofficial posse after a day's chase from Indiana into Illinois.

They had searched unsuccessfully for Person, he said, in response to telephone calls from farm women who reported a Negro had been appearing at farms at dusk, demanding food. Person was making his way to his home in Tennessee.

It was when he and his deputies returned from an investigation of one of these complaints, Trierweiler said, that he learned Person had just been shot in Illinois, across the Indiana line.

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UMW OF ILLINOIS 'LOAN' CASE SENT TO JUSTICE OFFICE

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pect the books of the UMW, and after the first stories had appeared in the Post-Dispatch, Edmundson made a hurried trip to Washington to confer with Lewis. He boasted later to associates that thanks to Lewis' "political pull" there would be no action taken.

Attorney General Biddle has had the case for more than a month. Contrary to statements made at the Department of Justice, it was reviewed by Treasury lawyers. While they were somewhat less confident than Morgenthau of the ultimate outcome, they passed it along to the Justice Department for appropriate action.

Decision Rests With Biddle.

Final decision rests, of course, with the Attorney General. There have been other instances during the Roosevelt administration of failure to take action in income tax cases pressed by the Treasury. The most notorious involved a number of Louisiana politicians at the time that Homer S. Cummings was Attorney General.

Shortly after the Post-Dispatch disclosed the details of the Mine B transaction, as investigated by revenue agents, another exclusive story was published telling how the UMW had invested more than a million dollars of UMW funds in private mining companies through a wholly-owned subsidiary of UMW, Lemurco, Inc. Well over half of this amount went into the Rocky Mountain Fuel Co. in Colorado, which is controlled by Josephine Roche, a former assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

Miss Roche was at one time in the inner New Deal circle. Highly placed New Dealers sought to obtain funds for her which she might use to save her coal properties from bankruptcy.

Lewis Reported Approached.

At one time, in an interval when he held no public office, Attorney General Biddle went with Miss Roche to ask Jesse Jones, head of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, if he would invest in her company. The request was refused. Later persons high in the Roosevelt administration are said to have interceded with Lewis on Miss Roche's behalf. The payments now prove an embarrassment in the handling of the Treasury case against Edmundson.

Thomas Kennedy, Secretary-Treasurer of UMW, declined to say just how much was "invested" in the Rocky Mountain Fuel Co. At the time of the Post-Dispatch disclosure he referred to a UMW "investment" in Mine B. The payments were made secretly, without knowledge of the rank and file.

Morgenthau was asked about the Edmundson-Ellis case at his press conference today. The question followed reports of a sharp difference between the Secretary of the Treasury and the Attorney General over the findings of the Internal Revenue Bureau's Intelligence Division. Morgenthau confined himself to saying that the case had been referred to the Justice Department some time ago but his impatience was evident to reporters.

Possible NLRB Action.

Another phase of the Mine B case has been under consideration here. There may have been a conspiracy to violate the National Labor Relations Act in view of the fact that the Progressive Miners won a clear victory in a Labor Board election, according to some lawyers who have studied the dossier. No action has come from the Labor Board either.

Asked about reports that his committee intended to go into the matter, Senator Harry S. Truman of Missouri, chairman of the War Investigating Committee, said that he had no plans.

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Dramatic Story of Paratroops' Fight

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deries, as well as infantry and engineers.

Two of his best men were killed on either side of him but Swinger kept on creeping under machine-gun cross-fire. In a defile he came upon a Mark IV tank, beside which stood two of its crew. One hand grenade killed both and the tank retreated, while Swinger hollered for an antitank gun.

One group of six paratroops, later augmented to 14, knocked off half a dozen pillboxes along the coast, taking 250 prisoners. Sometimes our men were wounded or killed but more often it was the enemy.

Two Yanks Take 200 Prisoners.

There was the case of Pvt. Robert Games, Norfolk, Va., a clerk in the headquarters company. He should be dead. Attacking a pillbox, Games crept in close, when the enemy fired 70 rounds and then pitched three hand grenades at him, knocking him unconscious. He awoke inside the pillbox, stripped naked. Half an hour later the Americans attacked again and destroyed the pillbox, killing all the Italians, but he was not scratched.

Sometimes our men did not take many prisoners, after rescuing some of ours and finding them naked or otherwise mistreated.

Sgt. David Rosenkarantz, Los Angeles, and Corp. Lee Black, Jackson, Tenn., stumbled on 200 Italians and were captured. But the Italians held a conference and decided they wanted to surrender to the Americans. Rosenkarantz and Black agreed to turn them over at the first opportunity. Then everyone sat down to dinner and wine provided by the mayor. As soon as the Yanks appeared after daylight, the Italian Colonel formed his command, and headed by Rosenkarantz and Black, they marched, singing, to give themselves up.

Yanks Land in Wrong Area.

Actually the paratroops' mission started under most inauspicious circumstances for the entire team was dropped by troop carriers 30 to 50 miles from the planned objective. Instead of jumping inland in front of the center force to cut off enemy reinforcements, destroy strong points and otherwise soften up the seaborne landing, the group of paratroops jumped in front of another force farther out.

While the moon was dipping low along the western horizon we came in over the sea, a mighty armada of transport planes flying in perfect formation. The terrain looked unfamiliar to the team command, a Colonel from Mount Carmel, Pa., but a red light flashed from the pilot controls.

We had been standing for several minutes in our heavy parachutes, the soldiers weighed down with loads of ammunition, guns and demolitions and this reporter sagged under his own load of non-combatant equipment.

The red light meant that we would be over our objective in a few minutes. They passed quickly. The green jump light flicked, there was a rush down the aisle toward the door and in a moment we were hurtling through space. Then there was the snap of shoulders as the chute opened.

A brilliant glare illuminated the ground revealing an olive grove instead of the expected wheat field. For a moment most of us thought that ground troops had sent up flares and were opening fire. Then the sickening realization came that the flare was from one of our transports which had broken in two and had burst into flames.

The next moment we were landing.

Writer Hurt in Landing.

Thirty feet from the ground the oscillation swung my body horizontal as I smashed through an olive tree and then to the ground. It was a good landing, all things considered. The others didn't fare as well.

I emerged from my tangled shroud with a wrenched knee, skinned knuckles and bruises, and what was not to appear until later—a cracked rib.

That night we went prowling about in small groups, trying to reach some ground that we could recognize. Before dawn as it turned out later, everyone realized, we had landed in the wrong locality and we had our check to find out in what part of Southern Sicily we were. Then we started a general movement to the northwest toward our original objective.

Many men jumped into the fight right away, landing on machine gun nests or pillboxes. Others soon found their hands full as they ran into Italian strong points along the coast or further inland along strange highways.

We began to lose men, but not many, as the tough, wily troopers rushed the pillboxes. These emplacements were well designed with three-foot cement walls, slits commanding all approaches, 47-millimeter guns and machine guns, and a great deal of wire.

But the troopers had come to kill and they did. Their antitank weapons and grenades drove the gunners from the slits of the pillboxes to be rushed. Well-aimed Girand rifle fire often accompanied the same purpose and within a short while each pillbox surrendered its load of Italians or a few Germans.

That was along the beaches. Inland the fighting continued throughout the day.

Our own group by daylight had increased, including this correspondent and two medical officers, also unnamed, who had been "sweated out" in the dark hours together, to 25 assorted troopers.

And here it might be pointed out that every man who jumps, with the above exceptions, jumps ready to fight, whether he's a cook, company clerk, a rigger or one of the service command, and they fought hard and viciously.

Our executive officer had joined

up with us and at his command we moved off in column, with flanking scouts, intending to swing north around Vittoria. That was a day we won't soon forget, particularly this reporter, who had seldom walked more than two miles at a time at home.

The Sicilian countryside was beautiful in its green and yellow colors. Most of the natives greeted us in friendly fashion as we passed, offering wine, water or bread. We trudged along under a hot sun, over plowed fields, through vineyards, grain stubble and cane brakes, and along dusty limestone roads until we got to the outskirts of Vittoria in the morning.

My typewriter, a secondhand portable weighing at least 15 pounds, had been safely dropped in a parachute bundle and recovered. Under the command of a sturdy sergeant major we had gotten the load this far.

Just as we reached the outskirts of the town which we learned contained an Italian garrison, snipers opened up on our scouts a few yards ahead of me. We beat a hasty withdrawal behind a stone fence and there my typewriter was left hidden among the rocks—later to be stolen while the troopers fought back and then withdrew to a point south around Vittoria.

It was march, march, march all afternoon and part of the night until we made a bivouac. A paratrooper carries no blankets or clothing other than his jump suit, but despite the chilliness of this country we slept and at dawn were off again.

Far out of town we encountered our Colonel and a small party preparing to attack the enemy holding the hill up a road 29 kilometers (about 18 miles) out of Gela.

Our own group had increased in

force. It fought a hard battle to accomplish its original mission. Despite the smallness of his force the Colonel went into position on the lower hill in the orchard and then began working through the tall grass, gnarled little trees and vineyards.

The opposing armored grenadiers fought back with their fast firing machineguns, Mausers, artillery and mortars.

Our first rush moved the enemy back up and over the hill altogether. He outnumbered us then about three to one. The troopers had him on the run, but he came

back strong with more artillery fire and then tanks, not only Mark IVs, but his huge Mark VI Tiger tanks mounting 88 millimeter guns in the turret.

The next hour was our worst.

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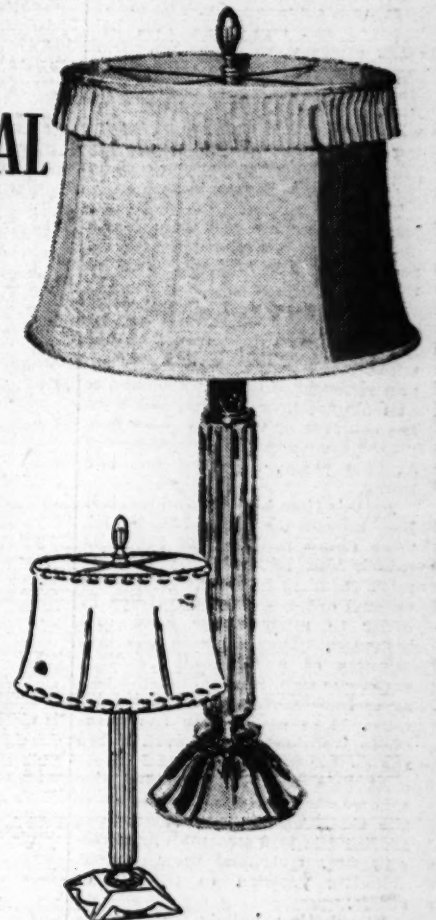
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DRAMATIC STORY OF U. S. 'CHUTISTS' BATTLE IN SICILY

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Everyone expected an attack by the tanks in force and it looked as if there were a good chance that we would be over-run. The Colonel had sent word by a runner to task force headquarters, saying: "If you want this position held we must have more fire power. But whatever happens we aren't moving off this hill."

He and his staff were dug into foxholes while the command post was under heavy fire. One staff member, Capt. A. W. Ireland of Baltimore took 10 men to the right flank with orders to hold at all costs. Another held the left flank.

Out in front the parachutists kept up a constant fire. The crews knocked out two Mark IVs, but other crews were blown up. One youngster after capturing a small Italian tank similar to the British Bren gun carrier charged off in it with the avowed purpose of "scaring those tanks." A direct hit killed him.

Artillery Blasts Tanks.

Then the Colonel called on his last hope and ordered three available Howitzers wheeled up for direct fire. I saw one gun come up this hill into position.

One trooper rode its barrel while others muscled the piece up the slope to a ridge beside a small white stone house. The tanks began registering hits all around the gun almost immediately, but with the coolness of veterans these men placed their gun. They opened fire at 1800 yards, knocking out two tanks.

By this time higher headquarters had moved up some 105s which were firing rapidly and the tank attack was stopped. By evening more troops had arrived and the Colonel ordered a counterattack in order to recover our dead and wounded. Then, like in the last minutes of a Hollywood ending, came our Gen. Sherman tanks and some half-tracks towing anti-tank guns. You could hear the parachute troopers' cheers even above the clatter of the tanks.

At 8:10 our tanks opened fire and we charged in two waves while the Germans replied with intense mortar fire and sweeping machine-gun fire. Overhead their Messerschmitts prowled to observe or strafe.

Ricocheting bullets sang their bee-like song of death while shell fragments whirled through the air. Half an hour later it was quiet. And in the gloom of the gathering night our men came back to their lines while the tanks withdrew, having destroyed from the rear a huge Tiger tank.

Victory for Americans.

We counted many dead and wounded but it was a victory beyond question.

The attack had driven the enemy off his hill back through the village and he had abandoned tons of equipment. In fact, reconnaissance later showed he retreated completely from this sector.

As a result the combat team of this task force which had been held up by the enemy's strong point was able to push on through in the same manner as the parachutists' attacks on pillboxes and the rear areas had enabled the combat team on the southern flank to advance.

There was another contributing element. The enemy's huge pillboxes and strong points protecting high ground from the west had during the height of the battle come under fire of heavy naval guns and one of our warships. Fire of these guns was directed by radio from two young naval Ensigns who had jumped with us and who had been out in front in the worst fighting all day.

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Lieut. Swingler is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold H. Swingler, 2330 Wengler avenue, Overland. His wife, the former Miss Nell Russell, lives in Columbia, Mo. He attended Kirkville Teachers College and Washington University and was employed by the Midwest Pipe & Supply Co. before his induction in May, 1941. He received training at Fort Benning, Ga., and was commissioned a Second Lieutenant there May 26, 1942.

300 BOMBERS HIT MESSINA HARBOR AND RAIL TARGETS

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enemy can bring in reinforcements and supplies.

Raid on Enna.

Throughout yesterday and the previous night Allied medium and light bombers returned to Central Sicily repeatedly to blast the important Axis communications hub at Enna. Road and railway communications throughout Sicily also were attacked.

Fighter-bombers likewise carried out "many attacks" on enemy communications and motor transport, destroying a large number of vehicles, the headquarters communique said.

Among other targets hit by Allied raiders during the day were Gerbini, Termini, Lerici-Fridi, Leonforte, Valslunga and Stefano.

Additional formations simply sought out "targets of opportunity," striking at anything they could find along the roads and rail lines. Communications always were the prime objectives.

Tuesday Night Sweeps.

American bombers teamed with South African Baltimore and Boston in attacks covering Central Sicily, Tuesday night.

Lieut. Col. Adolf Pokes of Walpole, Mass., who commanded one of the formations said "we saw fires all over the island."

Capt. H. J. Schreiner of Colum-

bus, O., reported that Catania Harbor was crowded with shipping. Fighters swarmed from bases in North Africa, Pantelleria, Malta and from captured bases in Sicily to protect Allied shipping, beaches and battle areas. The communique said only "a small number of enemy aircraft were encountered." Three were shot down during the day and night fighters, which ranged also over Southern Italy, destroyed five more.

Torpedo Planes.

Torpedo-carrying planes operating north of Sicily in the Tyrrhen-

ian Sea blew up an enemy tanker, the communique said, and left a merchant ship sinking and a small tanker in flames.

Three Allied aircraft from the North African command were listed as lost and one from the Middle East.

Among enemy air bases in Sicily now in Allied hands are Pachino, Biscari, Gela-Farello, Gela-Porte Olivo, Licato and Syracuse. Syracuse is a seaplane harbor.

British Wellingtons attacked an Axis vessel off the coast of Greece

Tuesday night, but results were not observed.

The airdromes all show marks of the battering they received before their occupation. A number of wrecked aircraft were found along with others which were only slightly damaged.

Ross Munro, Canadian Press correspondent, said Canadian fighter planes now were flying off a Sicilian airdrome. The Italians had plowed up this field before the invasion, but it was not long before it was repaired.

Fire Destroys Turkey Hill Home.

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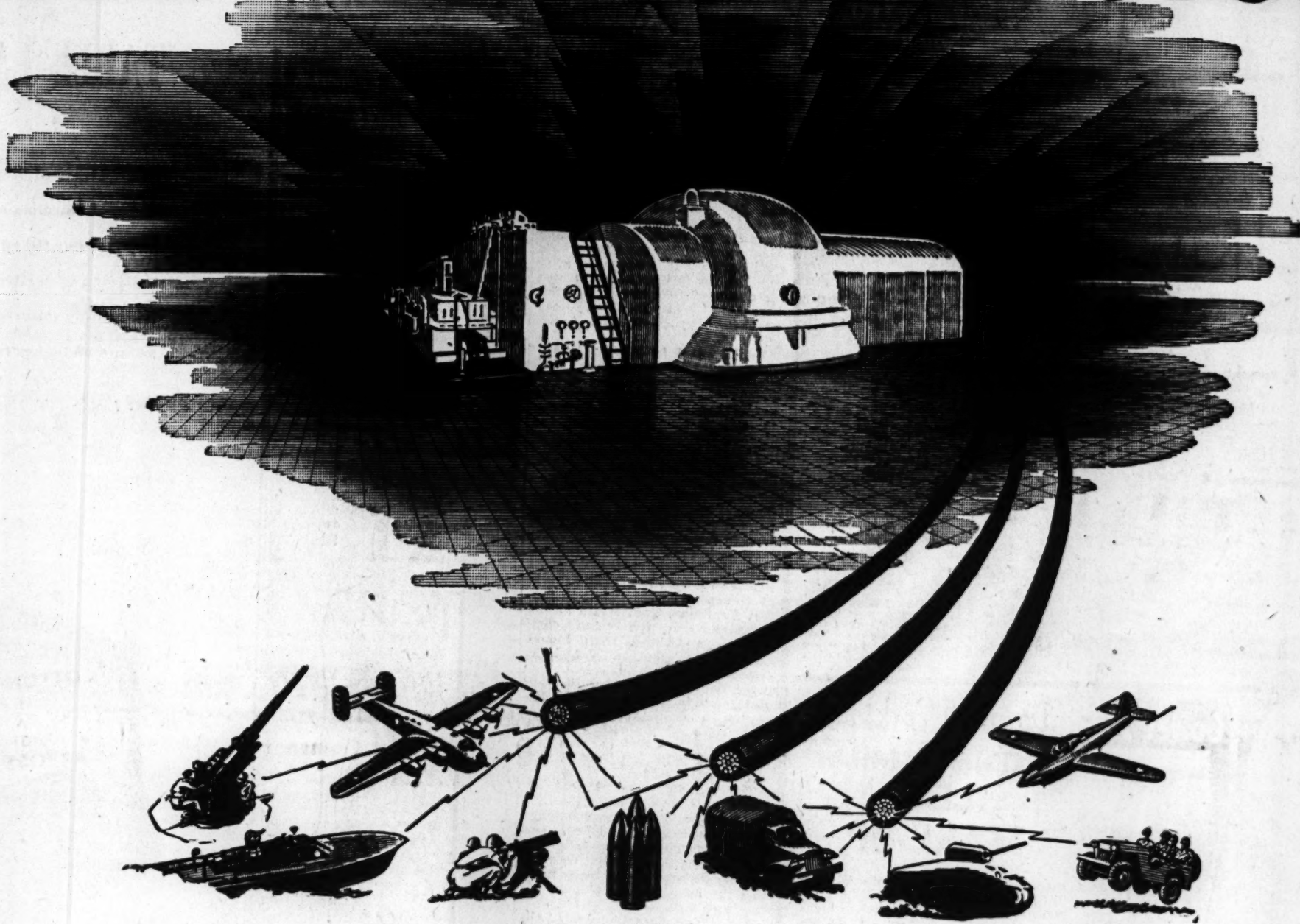
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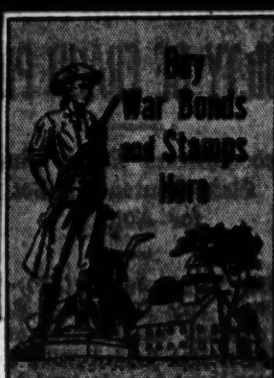
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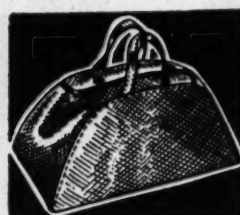
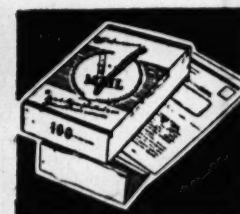
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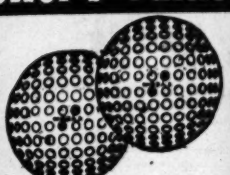
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SOVIET OFFENSIVE DRIVES NAZIS BACK IN OREL SECTOR

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ad that the Orel drive might be the start of the Russians' first summer offensive and pointed out that the action coincided with the fighting in Sicily.

RUSSIANS GAINING IN BELGOROD AREA

By WILLIAM MCGAFFIN

MOSCOW July 15 (AP).—Red Army forces have halted the Germans everywhere in the Belgorod sector and have dislodged them from several villages with local counterattacks which are gaining momentum daily the Russians said today.

The Nazis meanwhile have discontinued their attacks altogether on the other end of the Kursk salient, where they tried in vain to breach the Orel sector.

Reds Raid Orel Station.
The Red Air Force resumed its night operations with a heavy attack on the Orel railway junction, "setting fierce fires," the Moscow radio said.

(The German communique reported that numerous attacks and counterattacks were repulsed in continued heavy fighting on the Orel and Belgorod sectors, but made no claim of any Nazi advances. It asserted that 336 Russian tanks and 70 planes were destroyed by the German Air Force yesterday. The Nazi communique reported that weather conditions were deteriorating.)

The Soviet midnight communique said that for the second successive day the Nazi attack was stalled at the northern end of the 200-mile Orel-Kursk-Belgorod front along which the Germans launched their offensive 11 days ago.

More Nazi Tanks Blasted.
In the fighting yesterday around Belgorod, the communique reported, the Reds knocked out 100 German tanks, shot down 47 planes and killed more than 2000 of the enemy. Aerial engagements elsewhere increased the day's total of Nazi planes downed to 158, the Russians said.

Yesterday's engagements sent German losses, as tabulated in Soviet communiqués, to more than 40,000 killed, about 1322 planes downed and 2919 tanks destroyed since the start of the summer campaign.

In addition to the raid on Orel, the Russian air force was reported keeping up its attacks against German troop concentrations and supply lines and effectively supporting the operations on the ground.

In their counterattacks at some points in the Belgorod sector, dispatches said the Russians were pouring more men and tanks into the fighting, ironing out the wedges the Germans thrust into the Soviet lines at the outset.

Three-Day Battle Along Road.
The Communist party newspaper Pravda said one of the great battles on the Belgorod sector was fought along a Russian-held highway. The fight lasted for three days, the paper reported, with the Germans constantly attempting to push through to the north. After only minute progress the Nazis consolidated their positions and then launched attacks to the east and northeast. They were driven back everywhere, Pravda said, losing 80 tanks in the action.

Eye-witnesses who were in the Belgorod area when the offensive opened reported, "in all our experience on many fronts we have never seen German fire as intensive as this." The horizon literally "seemed to be on fire," they said.

SHIPYARD FIRM PLEADS GUILTY OF FRAUD PLOT

Two Officers Enter Similar
Plea—Sentencing Set
for Aug. 6.

NEW YORK, July 15 (AP).—The Sullivan Dry Dock and Repair Corporation, its treasurer and a vice-president pleaded guilty today to one count in a Federal indictment charging conspiracy to defraud the Government by presenting false claims. Three other associates of the company pleaded guilty to a charge of conspiracy to violate a Federal statute.

The company and the five men had been indicted Tuesday on five counts charging conspiracy to defraud the Government by submitting false claims in the construction and repair of vessels for the Navy and Maritime Commission. United States District Judge Robert A. Inch released each defendant in \$1000 bail and set Aug. 6 for sentencing.

Walter Krauss, treasurer and a director, and Anthony J. McAllister, a vice president, pleaded guilty

to conspiracy to defraud the Government by the presentation of false claims. Herbert Krauss and William Watson, vice presidents and directors, and Leslie H. Finlay, an administrative employee, entered guilty pleas to the other count.

CODE FOR STORES TO CUT TEXTILE SALES ANNOUNCED

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asks retailers to conform to the following rules:

1. The use of fear of scarcities as an appeal in promotion and selling efforts shall be eliminated.
2. Reference to quantities in production, except in the case of bona fide clearance sales, shall be eliminated.
3. Promotion featuring "sale" prices shall be limited to bona fide clearance sales of not more than the approximate volume and frequency of the past performance of the particular retailer.
4. It was "suggested" that advertising and sales promotion by newspaper, radio or other media could be diverted to: item advertising of regular merchandise at regular prices; institutional advertising; conservation and care of goods; repair service departments; national and local war efforts.
5. Added attention shall be devoted to training, checking and supervising of sales force to eliminate the "scarce" appeal by sales people, to end special commissions for multiple sales, and to tell customers methods of conserving and taking care of merchandise sold.

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Americans Battled Precariously for Two Days Before Securing Beach-head There.

By RICHARD MOWLER
The Chicago Daily News—Post-Dispatch
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WITH THE AMERICAN FORCES INVADING SICILY, July 12 (Delayed)—The initial phase of the Allied landing on Sicily is definitely past the touch-and-go phase. For the last two days, our toehold at Gela, coastal town on the western portion of the invasion area, was definitely precarious. This place turned out to be the toughest spot to take and hold on the whole coastal strip attacked by the western task force (the American part of the Allied invasion force).

German tanks got as far as the main square in Gela at one time, but were thrown out again by the Americans fighting mostly with antitank grenades. The beach east of the town has been under enemy shell fire pretty consistently, but today it has slackened noticeably and except for occasional bombings and occasional strafing, things are easier there. Today we can safely say that our toehold is now definitely a foothold.

Boats Slip by Coastal Guard.
The amphibious part of the operation went well right from the start. Our part of the invasion fleet milled around in the Central Mediterranean for three days without so much as a bombing or a submarine attack. We were able to stand off shore and lower the ship's invasion boats without being picked up by the constantly searching enemy coast guard.

Our losses in the initial landings were surprisingly light and far below expectations.

Naval gunnery gave close and extremely accurate support to the ground forces and is credited by the Army with knocking out several enemy tanks.

The air force must have done a magnificent job, for the enemy air force bombed our stationary ships off shore only a few times. The night of our landing, as our ships lowered the landing barges we expected attacks by shore batteries and bombers, but our preparations were uninterrupted.

Allied Planes Set Fires.
On the island we could see fires burning—the result of Allied air raids intended to cover the approach of our airborne troops. Time and again we heard the roar of our own transport planes passing overhead to drop parachutists behind the beaches. It was July 10 and the hour was 2:45 a. m.

On our right flank our naval forces opened up with preparatory fire. The enemy's searchlights swept the sea but most of them were soon put out by the warships' shells. From our ship, we could see the quick flashes of our naval guns, then follow the high-arching trajectory of our tracer shells.

At the given hour, the first wave of landing boats went in. Crammed with huddled American soldiers, they roared toward their respective beaches. They had to do some firing. We were too far offshore to make out the small arms' fire ashore.

After a while we would hear the engines of the landing boats approaching, then the coxswain at the stern would shout: "Ahoy, bridge" and ask the whereabouts of their respective ships so they could take on more troops and unload them, too, on the beaches.

The shuttle service between ships and shore continued throughout the night while destroyers and cruisers shelled various points of resistance wherever called on. The

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shoreline was spotted with fires and visibility was often smeared by a pall of smoke. Before dawn a great fire suddenly blazed on one of the beaches—a chemical signal fire lighted by our paratroops.

Beaches Taken by Dawn.
At dawn we held the beaches, though the enemy was sending airbursts over them. We had the town but many of its houses still hid snipers. Gela is built on the slope of a long hill facing the sea and its pink, white, blue and yellow houses are clustered along its rim and against the hill's seaward slope.

The sea between the transports and the shore was dotted with landing craft of all sizes. Our ship moved closer inshore to cut down the landing time. Some beaches east of Gela were getting shelled but the unloading went on. Our cruisers and destroyers moved slowly along the shore firing at enemy strongpoints or guns. We went ashore on the beach

east of Gela. Our landing boat was loaded with gasoline.

The ramp at the forward end of the landing boat was dropped and we jumped into water above our knees and waded ashore. Engineers had already cleared away a good many mines and laid down a wire road over the dunes.

The unloading gang on the beach began carrying gasoline cans off our boat. Amphibious jeeps rolled up the beach, dripping water, and proceeded to move along the wire tracks over the dunes into Sicily.

We wandered over the dunes past American soldiers in foxholes installing telephone communications. A jeep, loaded with slightly wounded men, went by toward the beach.

In a sort of hollow we ran into a group of some 300 Italian and four German prisoners. The Italians seemed to accept their fate with a certain amount of gratification.

"You should have come a month

ago; it would have been easier," some of them told us.

The Italians fight for awhile, then, if their position seems to be getting somewhat hazardous, they drop their guns and surrender.

Harold V. Boyle, in a dispatch from Gela, said a total of 2000 Italian prisoners and a few Germans were taken in the first two days of fighting in Southern Sicily. He related that a platoon of three American medium tanks bolstered by superb firing of a 105 Howitzer battery broke up a counterattack of 30 German tanks toward the

beach Sunday, destroying 14 of the German machines. No American tank was lost.

Monday, Boyle watched a second thrust by the tanks of the Hermann Goering division north of the main coastal road east of Gela. United States tanks and artillery against threw the Germans back. American Sherman's pursuing the Nazi vehicles over a hill.

Another dispatch from Allied headquarters in North Africa, said four American Rangers, charging a heavily-mined beach at Gela during the American operations

there, captured 52 Italian officers in one building after a short fight.

Veronica Lake's Baby Son Dies.
HOLLYWOOD, Cal., July 15 (AP).—Film Actress Veronica Lake's prematurely-born baby, Anthony, died today. The 7-day-old child had been in precarious condition since its birth, a few days after Miss Lake suffered a fall at her studio. The baby's father, Maj. John Dettie of the United States Army, is stationed at Seattle.

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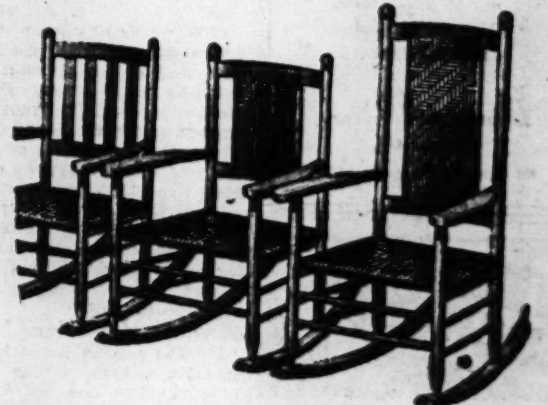
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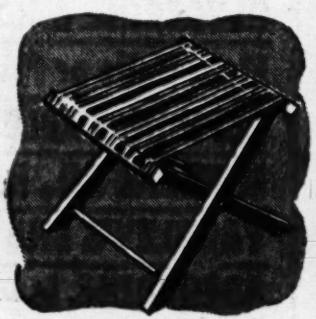
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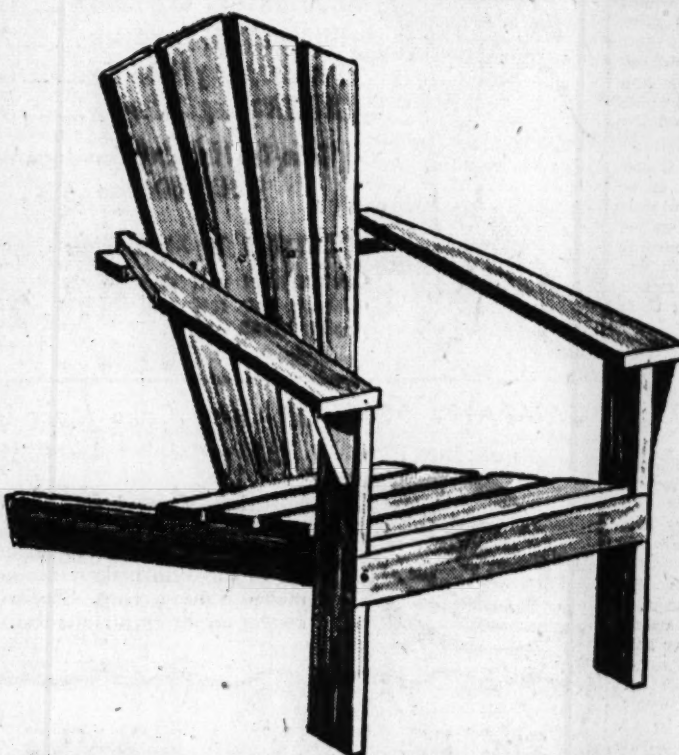


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Maxon Resignation Text: 'OPA Must Not Fail'

WASHINGTON, July 17. (AP)—

Following is the text of the statement issued by Lou R. Maxon on his resignation from the Office of Price Administration:

After several weeks of consideration I have decided that I cannot accept the position of general manager of OPA and have also reached the conclusion that I cannot continue to be associated with OPA in any capacity. I have resigned as of this date.

OPA must not fail. Its collapse would send prices skyrocketing and bring mob scenes as housewives stampeded for the limited supplies of the essential goods that are now rationed.

But if OPA fails, it will be because of its own internal weakness—confusion, indecision, compromise, miles of legalistic red tape, and the presence of theorists in policy-making positions.

The job of controlling prices and rationing scarce commodities under the tremendous stress of global war is vast enough without the infusion of any efforts to remake the American economy at the same time.

OPA needs at once a drastic reorganization, a strong, clear direction, and a liberal transference of common house sense. Only these steps can rebuild the morale of the agency, and provide the leadership which the thousands of volunteer workers for this agency so desperately need through the country.

Until these steps are taken and until there is a willingness to simplify price control and rationing as far as is consistent with winning the war, there is nothing more that I can do in OPA.

Morale and a 'Clique.'

Months ago an extensive change in OPA personnel was promised. This promise has not been kept. Today the morale of the agency is at low ebb. The good men there are looking for other jobs. The theorists and the young lawyers will, of course, continue until forced out of the picture, because most of them are in better jobs than they could obtain in private life.

I have been deeply disappointed in our failure to establish sound comprehensive policies and plans. In my estimation there still is no realistic workable overall food program. Operation in this vital field has been strictly catch-as-catch-can and OPA moves have often been directed by expediency rather than by any sound, long distance future planning.

There is a strong clique in OPA who believe that the Government should manufacture and distribute all commodities. Call them left wingers or new thinkers or Tugwellists or whatever you will, they are actively at work in OPA. They are using the war as a means of



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LOU R. MAXON

furthering their reform ideas and will continue to use honest men in OPA as a front for their efforts. If this group isn't curbed, we are going to lose a good slice of the very freedom we are fighting for.

I cannot subscribe to their obvious efforts to force radical and dangerous concepts on the public under the excuse of wartime needs. I cannot subscribe to the type of thinking that created the hasty order, or that continues to drive for grade labeling or permits an agency of the Government to openly declare that an independent merchant's store is an inefficient and costly place to patronize. Grade labeling, in my sincerest estimation, presents the greatest threat to American industry and our way of life that ever existed, because it is without question the spearhead in a drive to eliminate brands, trademarks and eventually free enterprise.

In OPA we have people who like to control just for control's sake. I can't subscribe to a policy of trying to apply price control to everything when all our efforts, energies and resources are needed to keep the basic cost of living items in hand.

'Legalistic Red Tape.'

Our young lawyers have OPA so bound up in legalistic red tape that Houdini himself couldn't untangle it. It doesn't know how many hours they spent on the wording of their classic order on fruit cake, but it's six pages of fine print. They have managed to keep their fingers on the strings of OPA, and Congress might well consider legislation to force OPA to employ lawyers with a proven and lengthy

record of ability before being permitted to help confuse the public via their OPA rulings. In my opinion, the best thing that could happen to OPA would be a forced cut in the legal staff of 50 per cent.

In OPA there is a "hangover" in attitude and methods of another administrator which makes itself continually evident as an active force.

The heads of many of our vital departments are handicapped by a fundamental lack of practical experience. We have a large number of professors and theorists whose unworkable ideas have been conceived in the rarefied atmosphere of the classroom.

'Distrust of Business.'

Much of the confusion in OPA has been caused by a lack of understanding of the problems involved, in all their depth, and a complete unwillingness to seek or accept the advice and knowledge of men experienced in the fields affected. In OPA there is a marked distrust of business people.

The professional mind, in my estimation, is one of the most dangerous factors in our Government today. Instead of the broad view that is theoretically promised, their thinking under the unaccustomed glow of authority takes wing and soars through the clouds unimpeded by facts and uninhibited by actuality.

I've had my fill of these slide-rule boys. I've found there is no give to their inelastic, academic minds. They try to make a walled city out of OPA because there is no opinion equal to their own unless it is one of complete agreement or of greater daring in their world of dreams.

They don't want the advice of people who are experienced. Their book-bound, dream-ribbed, classroom minds definitely have no doors or windows leading in.

Labor has been promised a rollback of food prices. Yet, with the exception of two articles, there is no money available for this rollback, and today it is, in my estimation, nothing more than an empty promise.

OPA also suffers from the strange Washington belief that, if you just wait long enough, everything solves itself. I've never seen such confidence in the healing power of time. It's the old waiting game. Direct decisions are avoided. One compromise leads to another crisis and another compromise.

The idea of OPA planning and executing any food program without utilizing to the fullest extent the knowledge and the complete co-operation of the Food Administrator's people and agriculture is just plain nonsense. Yet that has been done in the past. We have had far too many vest-pocket operations in OPA and experience and practical knowledge have often been a definite handicap to those who wish to help OPA.

There is no question that OPA has consistently defied the Price Control Act in refusing to consult with the businesses affected except in a strictly window dressing manner.

There is little attempt to observe or utilize the normal processes of business. It must be new and different and difficult or it isn't OPA.

Professors and Theorists.

I don't believe OPA should be turned over to big business or little business or any group or interests. However, OPA should welcome the experience and knowledge and co-operation of people who know the intricate problems of those affected by their orders. Industries should have a part in making the regulations they must live with. OPA has failed to take full advantage of business experience and good sense in helping make their programs work. If a man owns an extra suit of clothes or if he has been a success in business—that shouldn't bar him from service in OPA. And a college degree shouldn't be necessary.

Only a country as great as ours could survive the bungling and impractical dreaming of OPA that has thrown much of the country's small business into confusion.

OPA must not fail. It's a vital agency that affects directly the lives of everyone in the nation. It must be made to function and only a complete housecleaning will permit this. The record of the past proves beyond a doubt that the professors and lawyers and theorists just haven't done the job.

LOU MAXON QUILTS OPA, ASSAILS THE 'SLIDE-RULE BOYS'

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Sept. 15, 1942. In co-operation with the other agencies we are aiming at that goal. There has been a 6 per cent rise since Sept. 15 with a 1 per cent decline the last month. We have hoped for a further decline when the current figures are released."

To Maxon's statement that some people in OPA think the Government should take over manufacture and distribution of all commodities, Brown said:

"I have never heard any such proposals by any individual and certainly there is absolutely no intention on the part of this office to undertake any such control. Price administration operates under law. The life of the agency expires on June 30, 1944, and can only be renewed by congressional enactment. There is nothing to this charge."

Demand Power. Maxon had demanded that he have almost absolute power over policy and personnel, and his resignation was taken to mean that Brown refused to agree to a setup that would have left him little more than a figurehead. Almost from the day of his

arrival, Maxon found himself in sharp conflict with other key figures in OPA.

J. Kenneth Galbraith, Deputy administrator in charge of prices, quit after a row with Maxon, but most of the others whom he had criticized are still there.

Bernard Haley Resigns.

Maxon's departure coincided with the announced resignation of Bernard F. Haley, director of OPA's textile, leather and apparel price division, previously head of the Economics Department at Stanford University. Haley commented

simply that recent congressional action requiring removal of anyone without business experience from price-fixing policy jobs "would have made my resignation inevitable by Aug. 16, anyway."

Named to act temporarily in Haley's stead was Leander B. Lovell, price executive of the manufactured articles branch, and former economist at Northwestern and American Universities, NRA, and the State Department.

Still another professor is leaving OPA. Dexter M. Keezer, Deputy Administrator in charge of professional services, has resigned and

will join the staff of W. Averell Harriman, lend-lease expediter in London.

Keezer is a former president of Reed College, Portland, Ore., and has been a key official of OPA since February, 1942. He declined to discuss his reasons for leaving, but it was said authoritatively that his departure was not directly connected with any of the current upheavals in the organization.

Business Congress Asks Roosevelt to Investigate OPA.

NEW YORK, July 15 (AP).—Directors of the American Business Congress said yesterday that "excessively bad administration" was hampering the work of the Office of Price Administration and asked President Roosevelt to institute an investigation of the agency.

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Because of the extensive service rendered by local welfare agencies, space limitations make it impossible to include in this report all of the statistics covering all phases of local War Chest activities. More complete information on any of the local organizations or United Charity agencies listed at the right, may be obtained by writing the Greater St. Louis War Chest, 418 Olive Street (1), St. Louis, or by phoning GARfield 3786.

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British War Relief Society	United Seamen's Service
French Relief Fund	United Service Organizations (USO)
Greek War Relief Association	United States Committee, European Children
Overseas Jewish Relief	Yugoslav Relief Fund
Polish American Council (Polish Relief)	War Prisoners' Aid Committee
Dutch Relief (Queen Wilhelmina Fund)	Women's Allied War Relief Committee
Russian War Relief	War Emergency Fund, Y.W.C.A.

LOCAL WELFARE AND YOUTH AGENCIES

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Boy Scouts, St. Louis Council	Salvation Army
Central Institute for the Deaf	Travelers Aid (Byran Mullanphy Emigrant Fund)
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Industrial Aid for the Blind	Young Women's Christian Association
Goodwill Industries	
Jewish Welfare Fund	

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Camp Wyman	St. Ann's Infant and Maternity Home
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Catholic Women's League	St. Elizabeth's Day Nursery
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Convent of the Good Shepherd	St. John's Hospital
Council House	St. John's Clinic
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DePaul Hospital and Clinic	St. Joseph's Convent of Mercy
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Epworth School for Girls	St. Leo Center
Family Service Society of St. Louis County	St. Louis Bureau for Men
Firmin Desloge Hospital and Clinic	St. Louis Children's Aid Society
German St. Vincent Orphan Home	St. Louis Children's Hospital
Girls' Home	St. Louis Colored Orphan's Home
Girl Scouts of St. Louis and St. Louis County	St. Louis League for the Hard of Hearing
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Guardian Angel Day Nursery	St. Louis Provident Association
Helpers of The Holy Souls	St. Louis Society for the Blind
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Jewish Hospital and Clinic	St. Vincent's Sanitarium
Jewish Orthodox Old Folks Home	St. Vincent DePaul Society
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Jewish Social Service Bureau	Social Service Department, Wash. U. Clinics and allied Hospitals
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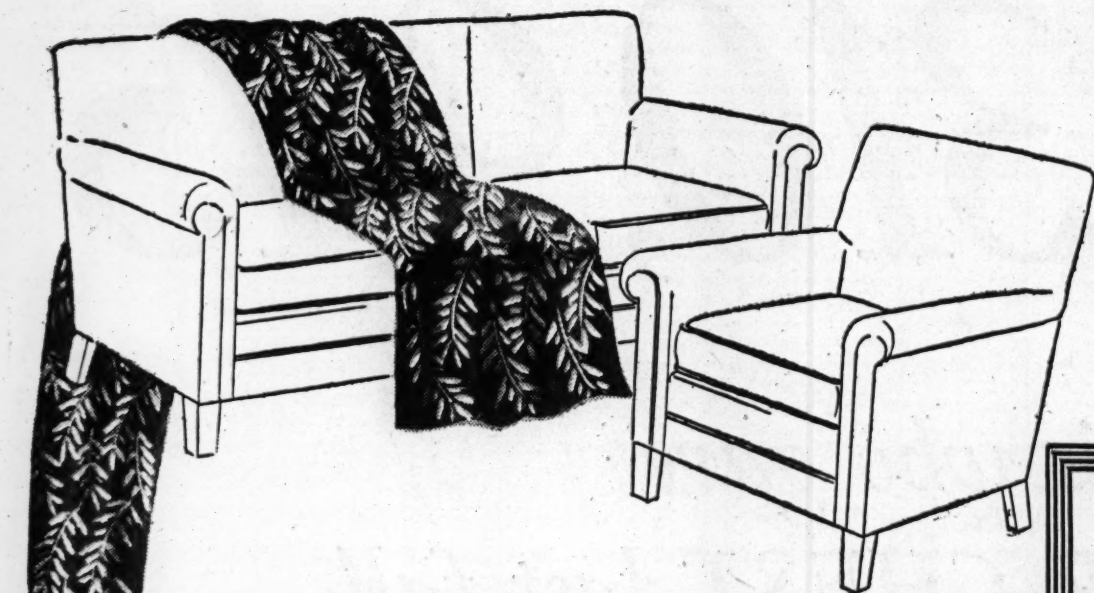
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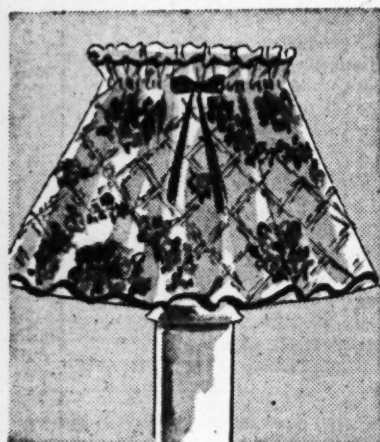
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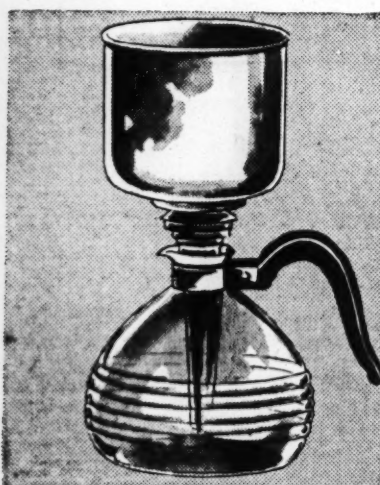


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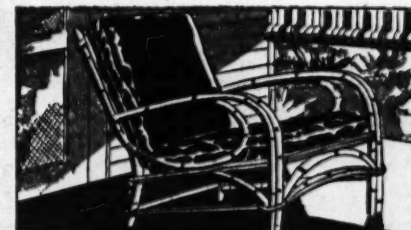
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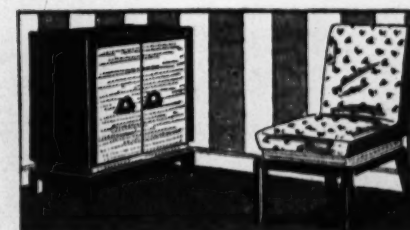
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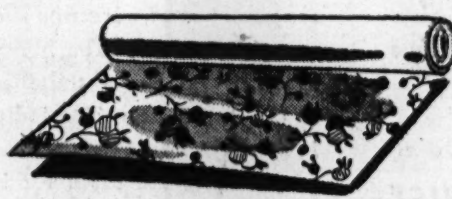
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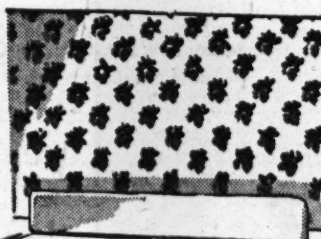
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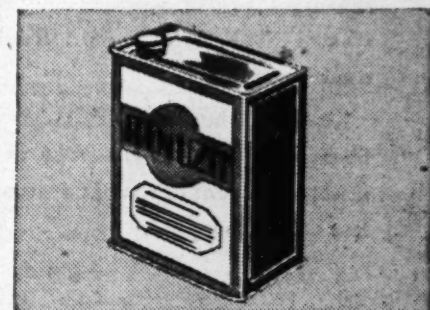
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ABOARD A BRITISH CRUISER IN CATANIA BAY, July 14 (Delayed) (AP).

POWERFULLY aided by the big guns of the British fleet plus increasing aerial cover, the Allied invasion of Sicily is progressing steadily on this fifth day.

The main immediate objective is the Catania plains, filled with landing grounds. Indicating the importance of this area to defenders and attackers alike, the Hermann Goering division of the Nazi army is reported now fighting to hold up the advance after leaving the earlier defense to Italian elements. (The Goering division, or units of it, has previously been reported opposing the American advance on the southern coast.)

The Allied push has been considerably aided by the capture of Augusta town and naval base which is now freely usable for Allied shipping despite repeated Axis air attacks.

Augusta was stormed at sundown on July 12 from the sea in one of the most spectacularly beautiful naval and land battles of the entire war.

Throughout July 10 and 11 the Germans and Italians, mostly the Germans, made persistent air attacks against the ships and beaches, with scanty success. They set fire only one merchant vessel in this area and their only other "success" was the deliberate and brutal sinking of a hospital ship. I witnessed that.

Fleet Barrages. With spotters ashore working, the British are piling up great strength along the eastern coast and lobbing shells repeatedly and effectively into enemy strong points and batteries ashore. The boom of naval guns is deafening and constant.

On the early evening of July 11 this ship shot up a shore battery on the peninsula of north Augusta, drawing no reply, but starting a black, smoky fire.

After beating off the expected and usual German fighter and dive-bomber assault during the dawn of July 12 this cruiser and sister ships bombarded the town of Melilli, 10 miles inland, for half an hour. Other participants included several cruisers and a monitor.

At the Army's request, the cruisers bombarded Melilli again July 13 and the Monitor continued its devastating heavy shelling most of yesterday morning. This hillside town is at a point where the coastal strip narrows somewhat and apparently was chosen by the enemy as a good spot to try to hold up the advance. However, the town was captured in the afternoon of July 13. A shore observer signalled us this morning:

"Melilli damage worse than London blitz."

The cruisers' first shelling of Melilli was quickly followed July 12 by shooting up Augusta's shore batteries and then this ship pumped three rounds into field guns which were holding up British troops in Augusta bay. This was the best shooting of the day, as after the three rounds the Army signalled "cease fire—target destroyed."

Praise From Army. During the afternoon of July 12 our ship was asked by the Army to bombard another enemy shore battery, but just as it prepared to shoot a new signal said:

"Hold fire. Target being attacked by our tanks."

A few minutes later came the signal, "tanks destroyed target."

"Robbed of our prey!" exclaimed Gunner Chief Commander Richard Ivan Alexander Sarell of East Grinstead, Sussex, who deserves the title of "Dead-Eye Dick" if any gunnery officer ever did.

The Army soon suggested a new target and after 15 minutes of firing signalled "cease fire. Good work."

The city of Augusta seemed so quiet during the afternoon of July 12 that a Greek destroyer went boldly inside the harbor boom just to see what would happen. It came out firing hotly and signalled it had taken one prisoner, who claimed the town was deserted, but it was being shelled by guns on the hills just outside of town, which is on an island connected to the mainland by a causeway.

As the sun was dropping toward the western hills about 7:30 p. m. July 12, Greek and several other destroyers closed in to point blank range and began the heavy shelling of Augusta. A hot battle quickly developed, previously silent guns in and around the town disclosing their presence for the first time and returning shot for shot.

British Storm Beach. Fresh British infantry brought by a transport leaped into small landing craft and stormed the beach under cover of the destroyers' guns.

The scene was one of weird beauty, probably never duplicated in warfare and certainly not surpassed. I never expect to see anything like it again. Off to the right a great cone, Mount Etna, loomed purple in the setting sun with a faint wisp of pinkish white steam trailing off from the crater across 20 miles of sky. It looked like the hem of a lifted theater curtain about a battle on a stage below.

The destroyers and assault craft were silhouetted black against the

reddening sky with tiny figures—the assault troops—racing up the rocky beach to town. Flashing guns sent black and white smoke rising from scores of points in and around the town while enemy guns threw up a series of white splashes in the sea, like rows of footlights.

The Army then asked all to quit firing as troops had gained the north part of the town. As the sounds of battle thinned the big ships pulled away slightly. They received the following signal from shore: "Field commander congratulates and thanks you all for today's grand shooting."

Our cruiser replied "Your kind message very much appreciated. Hope to have more shoots tomorrow."

The army ashore reported on the morning of July 13 that Augusta was captured. Its use today was presumably a big help in furthering the advance into the "airport country" of the Catania plains.

With the news that stubborn Melilli was taken we moved northward and shelled an inland defended point. We were unable to see the shots but the forces ashore reported two of four broadsides hit the target and the third was only 100 yards distant. The cruiser fired once at another defended point out of sight and after a short delay got the signal back, "OK."

Gunner Sarell remarked "apparently what we thought was a lost ball proved to be a hole in one."

"Enemy Evacuating."

Shortly after noon July 13 Focke-Wulfs swooped and straddled the ship with bombs. While this 20-minute attack was progressing the Captain said, "Guns, as soon as we've got rid of this nonsense please be prepared to proceed with our bombardment."

But when he signalled the shore he was ready the Army replied: "Enemy evacuating—good shooting."

This ship and others subsequently moved danglely into Catania Bay to shell a variety of targets and draw return fire from Italian guns at least eight inches using aircraft as spotters.

We shelled the towns of Lentini and Carini with big and little shells from Catania's direction splashed water 50 yards short of us. The ship pulled back and shelled the battery on Punto Castelluzzo, several broadsides silencing it—at least for the present.

Simultaneously, a terrific dog fight was going on five miles above our heads as Spitfires chased Axis planes spotting for shore guns and coming in for another go at Lentini, and this ship was straddled by two eight-inch shells or bigger 30 yards on each side—so close that Com. Patrick Brock of Vancouver it looked as if he could touch one from his after conning position. The entire ship shook. Capt. Davis took us out at top speed, then circled and dashed in at an oblique angle.

Close to Shore.

With a destroyer pacing us at "right guard" to see that nothing was disturbed from seaward, we went close as possible to shore and let Lentini have it with all our main armament. The cruiser was well within the range of the Catania batteries, which were out of her own range, but the enemy appeared thunderstruck by the maneuver and was silent. The Admiral of the cruiser squadron, who had a grandstand seat outside, signalled:

"That was very cunning bombardment."

At dawn we were able to see the south shores of Italy itself. Then we turned and shelled Lentini again this morning, and drew a short burst of Catania battery fire again, possibly from a railway gun.

MAN BORN IN U. S. KILLED FOR SABOTAGE IN HOLLAND

NEW YORK, July 15 (AP).—Aneta, official Netherlands news agency, reported in a dispatch from Stockholm today that Evert Ruivenkamp, described as born in 1915 in Philadelphia, had been executed by German authorities in occupied Holland for sabotage.

It said the report had been published in Deutsche Zeitung in den Niederlanden, official German language organ in Holland.

Ruivenkamp, it was said, was put to death along with Dominicus Middendorp, of Kampen, Holland, and Gerard van der Laan, of The Hague.

Marquis W. Childs Visiting St. Louis Boys in England



CHILDs, a Washington correspondent of the Post-Dispatch, stands at right, facing the St. Louis boys he found at U. S. Fighter Station "X." Back row, standing, from left: CORP. BERNIE J. SCHROEDER, 1444 College avenue; PVT. MORRIS HOFFMAN, 730 Eastgate avenue, University City; PVT. ERWIN L. KLEINECKE JR., 6542 Itaska street; STAFF SERGT. ROBERT L. RAMIN, 7507 Forest View drive, Pasadena Park; PVT. EARL J. MENTZER, 3625 Juniata street; PVT. C. E. KINNAMAN, 6450 Wellsman avenue; STAFF SERGT. JOHN S. WYSSCH, 3953 DeTonty street; PVT. HERSCHEL C. COOK, Williamsville, Mo.; Kneeling: STAFF SERGT. NICK F. HARTMANN, 2217 Jules street; PVT. GEORGE TUCKER, 3721A Texas avenue; SERGT. MICHAEL BUGEL, 1116 Sidney street; TECHNICAL SERGT. AMOS MAY, 418 Oakland avenue, and STAFF SERGT. EDWARD L. DRAGO, 1207 North Euclid avenue.

Ernie Pyle Gets Seat on Sicily Invasion Boat

Correspondents Given Choice of Assignments, He Chooses Navy.

Ernie Pyle, who was with American ground forces in the deserts and mountains of North Africa, chose to witness the invasion of Sicily from the deck of a U. S. Navy vessel. Herewith is the first of several dispatches which he wrote while his ship was still at anchor in a North African harbor. Due to the need of secrecy, his dispatches were not cleared by wireless until the invasion was actually under way.

By ERNIE PYLE

A Special Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch

ABOARD A UNITED STATES NAVY SHIP OF THE INVASION FLEET — (by wireless).

WHEN our military and naval forces began fitting the war correspondents into the great invasion patchwork some weeks ago, most of us were given the choice of what type of assignment we wanted — assault forces, invasion fleet, African Base Headquarters and what not.

Since I had never had the opportunity in Africa to serve with the Navy, I chose the invasion fleet. My request was approved. From then on it was simply a question of waiting for the call. Correspondents were dribbled out of sight a few at a time in order not to give a tipoff to the enemy by sudden mass exodus.

We'd been given a general fill-in on the invasion plans under the most grim warnings against repeating what we knew or even talking about it among ourselves. Some of the correspondents disappeared on their assignments as much as three weeks before the invasion, while others didn't get the call until the last minute.

I was somewhat surreptitiously whisked away by air about 10 days ahead of time. We weren't, of course, permitted to cable our offices where we were going or even that we were going at all. Our bosses, I hope, had the good sense to assume we were just loafing on the job rather than being dead or kidnapped by Arabs.

After a long plane ride and a couple of dusty rides in jeeps I arrived in a port city I'd known before the war. When I reported to naval headquarters I found I was expected and was assigned to a ship. It was lying at anchor out in the harbor—one of many scores—and they said I could go aboard right away.

Showers, and Ice Water.

OUR vessel was neither a troopship nor a warship but it was a mighty important ship. It was not huge, just big enough so you could feel self-respecting about our part in the invasion. Yet it was small enough to be intimate and I got to part

Belgium's Nazi Chief Regularly Gets Secret Paper He Cannot Suppress

Belgian Spirit Is Symbolized by 72 Underground Publications — La Libre Belgique Picks Up Where It Quit in Last War.

This is the ninth of a series of articles telling the dramatic underground story of Europe's native patriots and their death-defying resistance to the German Order, from Norway to the Balkans, written by Nat A. Barrows, foreign observer in London for the Chicago Daily News—Post-Dispatch Foreign Service.

By NAT A. BARROWS
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LEUT. GEN. BARON ALEXANDER VON FALKENHAUSEN, German military commander for Belgium and Northern France, fumed and raged for the sixty-fourth time when he reached German headquarters at 1 Place du Tone, Brussels, and looked at his desk last Monday morning.

The Belgian underground had done it again, despite every precaution by the Gestapo, despite hundreds of arrests. There, confronting Von Falkenhausen, was the latest copy of Belgium's leading clandestine newspaper, La Libre Belgique.

Not once since La Libre Belgique was started on Aug. 15, 1940, where it left off in 1918, has the underground failed in its historic mission of delivering the current issue mysteriously and deviously to the German commander's desk.

How does it get there? The Germans never found out in the last war and they are still getting their blood pressure trying to find out now.

An additional point makes this blyplay of the Belgian underground all the more enjoyable for those risking their lives to carry out the tradition. The present German commander, nephew of a commander similarly annoyed in the last war, took over his Brussels asserting that he would not be victimized as was his uncle. "But get it every fortnight, he

fore, they leave sabotage to the experts, confining resistance activities to boring from within, slow-downs in factories, aid and comfort to the Allies through the intelligence — and thinking up new ways to obstruct German determination to crush them beyond endurance.

It is a sobering and heart-warming experience to talk with men and women here who have escaped from Belgium recently. Their eyes, Continued on Page 5, Column 5.

REPORT FROM ENGLAND

St. Louisans at British Air Base Are Hungry for News of Home, Which Is Where They Long to Be

Ground Crews at Fighter Station Look Well Fed and Healthy — Everyone Listens to Inter-Plane Talk When U. S. Flyers Are on Mission.

By MARQUIS W. CHILDS

A Washington Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch. (FIFTH OF A SERIES.)

AMERICAN FIGHTER STATION IN ENGLAND.

AS we stepped out of the Flying Fortress in which we had been traveling between fighter and bomber stations, an enterprising public relations officer came over to say that he had rounded up all the St. Louis boys at Station X.

There were 13 from the St. Louis area, all members of ground crews, and they wanted to know if I had any news from home. What about the floods? Was it true that the Browns were doing so well? Unfortunately, I had been away from America for two months and they had inter word from home than I.

How did they like England? Well, it was all right, but they didn't like it much. Typical of Americans in Britain, they wanted to get the fight over with and get home. When they spoke of St. Louis, it was with a longing to get back to the familiar life they had interrupted when the war caught them up.

Well Fed and Healthy. They looked well fed and healthy, and apart from the note of nostalgia that crept in when they talked about home, they seemed in good spirits. They were all members of ground crews, servicing the P-47 Thunderbolts that almost daily, except when the weather is too soupy, sweep over Nazi-occupied Europe to challenge the German fighters. Just by chance there were no St. Louis pilots at this station.

Each ground crew has a particular plane to service and, as John Steinbeck has reported from the American bomber stations, a strong feeling of loyalty and attachment grows up between the

fighter pilot and his Thunderbolt and the crew that underwrites its smooth performance in the air. The name of the crew chief is painted on the side of the plane along with the name of the pilot officer.

Here at Station X in the beautiful, soft, rolling country of East Anglia, they have worked out an ingenious link between the fighters in the air and the men who must wait on the ground for the planes to come back. They broadcast on a loudspeaker the talk between squadron leaders in the air and between the squadron leaders and radio stations on the English coast. This gives the groundmen a sense of participation as nothing else could.

Returning to the field in a Fortress, after a quick visit to a nearby station, I saw from the air a fighter sweep take off. From every corner of the field in regular sequence the fighter squadrons fly up as though they were shot out of a projector. In less than 10 minutes more than 50 are in the air, heading off toward the east and the enemy.

Everyone Listens In.

At the operations center the radio loudspeaker is set up. Pilot officers not participating are inside, reading magazines, playing double solitaire, waiting to hear the talk on the "inter-com" which Continued on Page 5, Column 2.

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SICILY AS SIGNPOST

By BARNET NOVER

THE brilliance of the Allied offensive in Sicily has been matched, certainly up to now, by the mediocrity of the Axis defense of that strategically important island.

That fact is full of great promise for our side. For while Sicily is, in one sense, only another stepping stone to German-occupied Europe, it is at the same time, an integral part of Italy and therefore of Hitler's "fortress."

When the island goes the peninsula will be as defenseless as a shorn lamb in a howling gale. And when Italy collapses the keystone will have fallen out of the Axis arch.

Italy was of indifferent value to Germany when Mussolini "flew to the aid of the victor" on June 10, 1940, a day which, like Dec. 7, 1941, will live in the annals of infamy.

At that moment Hitler needed no allies. He was master of all of Europe from the Bug to the English Channel, from the Baltic to the Black Sea. There was still Britain to reckon with. But Britain appeared doomed.

In the months that followed, with Britain holding out and the war growing in complexity, Italy's importance to Germany steadily grew.

The presence of the Italian fleet in the Mediterranean forced the British to divide their already dangerously-dispersed naval power. The Italian army, poorly led, poorly equipped and dispirited as it was, forced the British to divide their inadequate land and air forces between the home islands, Malta, East Africa, Egypt and the Middle East.

Without the large Italian force placed under his command, Rommel would never have got as far as he did last summer, although even with it he was unable to take Alexandria and Suez. And the bulk of the Axis forces that kept the Allies out of Tunisia for six months were Italians.

The paradox is that the weaker Italy has grown the more Germany's dependence upon her has increased.

Effects of Collapse. HITLER is fully aware of the fact that the collapse of Italy would have violent repercussions within the Axis and among Europe's few remaining neutrals.

It would increase the growing distaste of the Magyars, Rumanians, Bulgarians, Finns and other satellite peoples for an adventure

which, it must now seem to them, can only lead to disaster.

Further, the collapse of Italy would compel the Reich to replace the Italian garrisons in Southern France, the Balkans and the Aegean with German divisions now held in reserve. And in view of the probable failure of the present German offensive on the Eastern front and the possibility that before long it may be the Russians who will take the offensive there, Germany can ill afford a further dispersal of its strength at this time.

It was undoubtedly the understanding of the frightful consequences to the Reich of an Italian collapse that compelled Hitler to invest so large a number of men, planes, tanks and guns in the Tunisian venture.

The same consideration led him and Mussolini to strain every nerve in building up the garrison and the defenses of Sicily.

Wasted Preparations. YET aware as they were of what was in the cards after the fall of Tunisia and Pantelleria, the Axis forces on Sicily appear to have been taken by surprise by the Allied landings on July 10 and thrown completely off balance.

What is equally significant is that, as Herbert Matthews points out in the New York Times, "The Italians are fighting just as badly in Sicily as they did, with some honorable exceptions, in Africa. They obviously do not want to fight."

If that is the case, then it is a fact that the collapse of Italy as a whole is rotten for collapse. For Italy without Sicily is less defensible than with it or than Sicily alone. With Sicily gone the Italian ankle, heel and boot can be had by the Allies for the taking.

The Italians are now paying a heavy price for 20 years of Fascist rule. The dictatorship which proved incapable of successfully waging war abroad is even proving incapable of successfully defending them at home. Humpty-dumpty totters on his perch.

TOPEKA, Kan., July 15 (AP).—Senator Arthur Capper, Kansas' veteran senior Senator, celebrated his seventy-eighth birthday last night with a plea for a nonpartisan war cabinet to replace what he called "Harry Hopkins and his Kitchenette Cabinet."

"I am not attacking the war effort in Washington," Capper, a Republican, said in a radio speech, "but I believe the best thing that could be done would be to set up a nonpartisan and officially named and recognized War Cabinet."

On this Cabinet should be the best minds from both political parties and from all major groups in the nation.

"I would like to see partisan politics entirely eliminated during wartime," Capper said. "The cabinet should be eliminated if the President would announce, and announce right away, that he is not and will not be a candidate for a fourth term. I believe such a move would meet with nationwide approval."

Senator Vandenberg (Rep., Michigan), suggested in an interview in Washington last week that a War Cabinet be set up to help President Roosevelt direct activities on the home front. Vandenberg said that "the palace guard has got to be demobilized soon."

ROOSEVELT SIGNS BILL FOR MEMORIAL TO CARVER

WASHINGTON, July 15 (AP).—President Roosevelt signed yesterday a bill providing \$30,000 for a national monument to George Washington Carver, Negro scientist, who died recently at Tuskegee, Ala.

The monument will be built at Carver's birthplace near Diamond, Mo. The measure authorizes acquisition of up to 300 acres of land at the birthplace and provides for erection of a model of the plantation cottage in which Carver was born.

The legislation was sponsored in Congress by Representative Short (Rep., Missouri), and Senator Truman (Dem.), Missouri. Short said the \$30,000 would not cover the full cost of the project, but that the land would be acquired. The monument will be completed after the war, he said.

War Stamp Drive Succeeding. WASHINGTON, July 15 (AP).—The Treasury drive to sell an additional \$1 in war stamps to every American this month to pay for a mystery aircraft carrier, "Shangri-La," appears headed for early success. The half-way point in the campaign is today, but subscriptions thus far reported are well past the midway point of the 130-million-dollar goal, Treasury officials say.

WOMEN VOTERS MEET TO PLAN FOR PEACE

Midwest Leaders of League Discuss Nation-Wide Campaign for U. S. Co-operation.

Midwest leaders of the National League of Women Voters assembled at Hotel Lennox today for a two-day conference at which plans will be laid for a nationwide campaign to "help the American people realize" that the United States is "part of the world and must co-operate with the rest of the world, now or never."

Miss Marguerite M. Wells of Minneapolis, Minn., president of the organization and conference chairman, said today the campaign was conceived when "it became clear that the climax of all our war efforts was coming this summer and because 'we knew that this summer might also bring hope or despair about what the American people decide to do after the war.'"

"We propose," she declared, "to reach the people and convince them that now or never the great American myth of isolationism must be exorcised—the delusion that we are or can be or ever were isolated from the world and its wars."

Attending the conference are Mrs. Roscoe Anderson, Webster Groves, a member of the national board of directors; Mrs. B. Lamar Johnson, Columbia, Mo., vice-president of the Missouri League of Women Voters; Mrs. Frederick Cobb, Green Bay, Wis.; Mrs. Allan Mitchell, Bloomington, Ind.; Mrs. Maurice A. Pollak, Highland Park, Ill.; and Mrs. Leonard Smith, Indianapolis, Ind.

Miss Wells said a conference similar to the one here was held in Washington last week for league representatives of the eastern United States. Among those attending was Mrs. George Roubush of Silver Spring, Md., former president of the St. Louis League of Women Voters.

WILLIAM HORSTMAN ESTATE IS ESTIMATED AT \$331,135

An inventory of the estate of William H. Horstman, 65-year-old bachelor who died April 24 at his home, 4254 Athlone avenue, without leaving a will, was filed in Probate Court yesterday and listed assets estimated at \$331,135.

Horstman, a graduate of Massachusetts Institute of Technology who was employed as a Government engineer, had inherited some money from his father, who once served in the St. Louis police force. Relatives said Horstman had inherited his inheritance and his own earnings so successfully that he built up a large fortune.

His heirs include 10 first cousins, six second cousins and at least eight other relatives in St. Louis and elsewhere. The heirs are scattered throughout the country. The inventory named the Bremen Bank & Trust Co. as administrator. Principal assets were real estate, \$110,475; notes, \$189,047; and bonds, \$27,111.

BELGIAN SPIRIT IS SYMBOLIZED IN SECRET PRESS

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more than the bitter tone of their voices, tell the horror they have witnessed—loved ones executed before them; friends tortured by the Gestapo; all the terror and horror and suffering they knew as children, now magnified a thousand times over.

Twice in one lifetime they have gone through it. They have not forgotten the last war and they will never forget what the Germans are doing in this war.

No, they mutter grimly, they won't forget the sight of their own people, daily growing weaker from lack of food. . . . The 80 per cent infant mortality from tuberculosis and the 75 per cent of all living children afflicted with one form or another of T.B. . . . Their friends are the slaves of Germany, the victims of the equally horrible conditions of Todt labor battalions. . . . The executions, the disappearances, the concerted drive to subdue a great nation . . . unspeakable cruelties.

But they will fight until the last. They know the value of not prematurely exposing their strength of resistance, and so they bide their time patiently. Expert saboteurs handle jobs of skill; little people take courage from their 72 large underground newspapers (including one, La Voix des Femmes; edited by women, for men) and do what they can to back up solidly the united resistance movement without at the same time getting caught.

The situation daily grows more desperate in Belgium as food gets scarcer. Belgium, like France, is being bled white of man power. Already, it is estimated, 600,000 workers have been deported to Germany.

The Germans admit that they executed 550 Belgians between January and May of this year. That does not include hundreds upon hundreds of Belgian Jews, killed in one way or another.

But with such determination and courage as the Belgians are able to demonstrate in spite of their oppression, the country will continue to resist until its last ounce of strength. That spirit, symbolized by the underground paper, La Libre Belgique, carries Belgium onward through the dark shadows as it awaits the proper day of deliverance.

Tomorrow: Belgian underground upends the news from Sicily but cautions against premature action incited by German trickery.

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

MID-SUMMER holidays are being planned daily by St. Louisans in search of cooler places to spend the season. Among those who have joined the colony at Douglas, Mich., is Mrs. Daniel L. Schlafly, who left last week with her children to stay throughout July and August in one of the cottages. While her husband, Army Capt. Schlafly, is on overseas duty, Mrs. Schlafly is living at the home of her father, Birch Oliver Mahaffey, 9 Portland place. Mrs. George W. Hellmuth's cottage, Robinswold, in Douglas, will have two more St. Louis guests by the end of the week. Mrs. D. E. Hussey of the Park Plaza and Mrs. Thomas B. Harvey, 5103 Waterman avenue, will leave tomorrow to stay until September. Mr. and Mrs. Hellmuth's home in St. Louis is at 4468 Maryland avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward K. Love, 44 Westmoreland place, left Wednesday for their annual summer visit in Biddeford Pool, Me. They will be away until late August.

Mrs. George S. Drake, 6115 Lindell boulevard, plans to leave the last of the month for Rye Beach, N. H. She will occupy a cottage until the close of the season.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy O. Eisenbeis, 2 Brentmoor park, are planning a vacation in Wequetonsing, Mich., and will leave in about two weeks to open their house, Halcyon Villa. With them will go their son, Culver. Leaving Friday for Kelly Field, San Antonio, Tex., is Mr. and Mrs. Elsenbeis' eldest son, Henry, who will train as an Army flyer. Another son, John, is a student at Washington University.

Mrs. William Carroll Connell, 4222 Lindell boulevard, left today to spend a week with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John R. B. Disbrow, in Milwaukee, Wis.

Spending a month in Cuba is Mrs. George Gellhorn, 4366 McPherson avenue, who is the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Ernest Hemingway, author, and Mrs. Hemingway, at their home in Havana. Mrs. Hemingway, the former Miss Mary Gellhorn, is foreign correspondent for a national magazine.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Generelly and their baby son, Peter Warren Generelly, are returning to their home in Greenville, Miss., after a visit here with Mrs. Generelly's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Cot Day. The Day home is on Litzinger road.

Visiting in the East. Mrs. William V. Bailey, 31 Kingsbury place, has returned from San Diego, Cal., where she spent the last two months as the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Capt. and Mrs. James L. Sloan. During Mrs. Bailey's stay in California, Capt. and Mrs. Sloan became the parents of a daughter, their second, who was named Annie Lane for her mother. Their first child is Lucille Lane, the namesake of Mrs. Bailey. Capt. Sloan has been stationed with the Army at San Diego since the outbreak of the war.

Mrs. A. H. E. Bowman, 6251 Southwood avenue, will leave Monday for Boulder, Colo., to visit her son-in-law and daughter, Ensign and Mrs. George C. Smith Jr. She will remain until the first part of September. Ensign Smith is attending the Naval Reserve Language School. At present he and his wife are spending a short time at Cliff House, Manitou, Colo., with his parents, who live at 4905 Lindell boulevard.

Miss Peggy O'Reilly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. O'Reilly, 5272 Westminster place, is spending a week in the East visiting relatives and friends in Baltimore and New York. She will return home Saturday.

LESLEE M. STEWART FUNERAL

Funeral services for Leslie M. Stewart, 4008 North Kingshighway, cashier for the Board of Education from 1911 until last December, were held today at the Math Hermann and Son undertaking establishment, 2161 Fair avenue, with burial in Oak Grove Mausoleum. Mr. Stewart, 52 years old, died Monday of a heart attack.

Surviving besides his wife are a daughter, Mrs. H. C. O'Brien, a son, Harold, and two brothers, Police Capt. Sam Stewart and Adelbert Stewart of Sparta, Ill.

MISS HELMERICHS IS WED.

MISS LOIS ROBERTA HELMERICHS, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Helmerichs and Army Aviation cadet Edmund Daniel Wells Jr., son of Dr. and Mrs. Edmund Daniel Wells of Chester, S. C., were married Tuesday evening at 8:30 o'clock. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. George Richard Wheatcroft in the chapel of

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A St. Louisan died of wounds received in battle, an Army private, previously reported a prisoner, died of disease in a Japanese prison camp, a soldier was drowned in the Southwest Pacific, and two St. Louisans and a former resident of St. Louis are missing in action, the War Department and relatives reported today.

Lieut. Dudley T. Atkins, 20 years old, died of wounds July 4 in the Southwest Pacific area his wife, Mrs. Billie Willis Atkins, 637A Sutherland avenue, was informed by the War Department. Lieut. Atkins is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George T. Atkins, 5369 Maple avenue. The elder Atkins is executive vice-president of the Missouri-Kansas-Texas Railroad Co.

Lieut. Atkins was graduated from Western Military Academy, Alton, Ill., in 1941 and attended Washington University before joining the Infantry in April, 1942. He had been stationed in the Solomon area.

Sergeant Ernest E. Muse, a gunner and radio operator on a bombing plane, has been missing since June 24, the War Department informed his wife, Mrs. Dolly C. Koenig Muse, 4220 John avenue. Sergeant Muse, 31 years old, had been in North Africa three months. Before joining the Army he was employed at a cleaning firm in Overland. His mother, Mrs. Pearl Muse, lives at 4027 Kennerly avenue.

Lieut. Don W. Irvine, a bombardier, the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Irvine, 8916 Lackland road, Overland, was reported missing in action over Noyon, France. Lieut. Irvine, 23 years old, attended Beaumont High School.

Sergeant Harry T. Brundidge III, son of Harry T. Brundidge, former member of the staff of the St. Louis Star-Times, was reported missing in action over Laval, France, his father, who now resides in New York, was informed yesterday by the War Department. Sergeant Brundidge, 23 years old, first was reported missing in North Africa about six months ago when he was flying as a gunner with the British Royal Air Force.

It was learned subsequently that he was among prisoners taken by the Axis and recaptured by United Nations forces. Upon rehabilitation, he enlisted in the United States Army Air Force.

Sergeant Brundidge was on his second raid as a fortress waist gunner when his ship, "The Muggler," was seen shot down in flames. Returning flyers reported from five to seven parachutes were seen to blow out of the bomber as it fell.

The death of Pvt. John H. Tock, 35 years old, a member of the coast artillery stationed at Manila, was announced by the War Department. He had been in the Army for 19 years and on furloughs visited a friend, Mrs. Mary Schneider, 1445A Madison street. He was taken prisoner when the Philippines fell.

Sergeant Henry Horace Brown, a Negro, 24 years old, 4345A Page avenue, was drowned June 21, his mother, Mrs. Clara Brown, was informed. He attended Vashon High School and joined the Army two years ago. He was a member of a Quartermaster Regiment and is thought to have been stationed recently in New Guinea.

The Rev. George N. Harness Dies. ST. LOUIS, Ill., July 15 (AP).—The Rev. George N. Harness, chaplain in World War I, died Tuesday night at his home. He was employed in the offices of the Western Cartridge Co. at Alton.

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Information—Supplies in
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The information charged that the solution, known as sodium citrate, contained pyrogens, and stated that the latter are frequently a product of germs. The technical charges are that the solution was misbranded because of presence of the pyrogens and that statements on the labels regarding use of the solution were misleading for the same reason.

The information charges that shipments were made to army stations in Kansas City, St. Louis,

Denver, Atlanta, Savannah, Ga., Richmond, Va., and Toledo, O.

A spokesman for the St. Louis Medical Depot told the Post-Dispatch today the National Drug Co. had co-operated with the Army about two months ago in notifying the depot here of the defective drug, and that the entire lot had been destroyed.

Third War Loan Goal.
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"Stage Door Canteen," at 9:15,
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"The Boy From Stalingrad," at
10:15, 12:55, 3:41, 6:24 and 9:07;
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O. Boddy McDowell "My Friend Flicka" In
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O. Boddy McDowell "THE MOON IS DOWN"

GINDERELLA VIRGINIA Cherokee & Lowe
O. George Brent "SILVER QUEEN"
O. George Brent "One of Our Aircrew Is Missing"

LEMAI 318 Lemay
J. M. Brown, "Daring Young Man"
J. M. Brown, "Little Joe the Wrangler" Color!

STUDIO 6237 Nat.
Rita Ross, Jane Frazee, "Hi Ya, Chum"
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SAVOY Ferguson, Mo.
O. Kruger, E. Landi, "Corridor," Color!
O. Kruger, E. Landi, "Hi Ya, Chum"

NORMANDY 7354 Nat.
Astaire, Hayworth, "You Were Never
Lover," "Lam & Abner," "Two Weeks to Live"

SOUTHWAY 9736 S.
15c Pine Tax, Shelton, "Whispering
Incident," "Fox-Bow Incident," Color!

MELVIN 5015
James Cagney, "Something to Sing About,"
Richard Dix, Kent Taylor, "Tomahawk"

O'FALLON 4026 W.
Tom Conway "I WALKED WITH A ZOMBIE"
Frances Dee
Astoria Bonquet Night

BREMEN SALISBURY 30th and
Marguerite Chapman "SPIRIT OF STANFORD"
James Zilla in "Army Surgeon," "Salute to
Rosella Night, Bremen, Girl Copious."

JANET LOWELL 5039 N.
Simone Simon, "TAINTED HONEY"
"A Man's Man," "Verminous Night."

BRIDGE 4th and
Wm. Tracy, Jean Porter, "Fall In"
J. Cagney, "Great Guy," "Bakers Night."

PAULINE 5000
G. Brent, "Silver Queen," "One of Our Air-
craft Is Missing," "Gladiators Copious Red."

ROBIN 5479
"King of the Cowboys," "Conway, Falcon
Scribes Back," "Bakers Night to Ladies."

BEVERLY GEM 7140 Park
Claire Trevor
Olive Tree
Albert Becker
John Davis

OVERLAND Overland, Mo.
Deanna Durbin
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Joe E. Brown, "A DARING YOUNG MAN," Cartoon.

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William Tracy
Joe Sawyer

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Lloyd Nolan, Donna Reed, "Apache Trail"
Plus Musical Comedy, Cartoon and News

ARCADE Ardmore 4050
Marlene Dietrich, Randolph
Kibbee, Gloria Warren, in
W. Pine
Arms Skydome
Dorothy Lamour, "Road to
3200 Margaret
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FREE ISLANDS"
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REDS OPEN TRIAL OF 11 AS PARTIES TO ENEMY ATROCITIES

Thousands of Persons Massacred by Nazis at Krasnodar, Russians Allege.

MOSCOW, July 15 (AP).—Tass, official Soviet news agency, said today that hearings have started in the military trial of 11 persons charged with high treason for complicity in alleged atrocities committed during the German occupation of Krasnodar in the Caucasus.

The news agency declared investigations had established that Russian prisoners had been burned alive, hospital patients massacred, and "many thousands" of citizens suffocated with carbon monoxide "in specially equipped motor cars" in Krasnodar and the adjacent territory.

Tass said the alleged atrocities were committed by units of the Seventeenth German Army under command of Col. Gen. Ruoff, the Gestapo "and their accomplices" late in 1942 before the territory was retaken by the Russians.

The hospital massacres were said to have taken place at the Krasnodar municipal hospital, the Berezan hospital colony and a territorial children's hospital in the Labinaya district.

Tass reported the motor cars used in the suffocations, which it said the population nicknamed "murderesses," were closed five-ton and seven-ton trucks equipped with grates in the floors connected with the exhaust pipes. Sixty to 80 victims, Tass said, were herded into the trucks at a time, the doors closed, and the motors turned on for a few minutes.

Then the trucks were driven to antitank ditches where the bodies were dumped, Tass said.

ERNIE PYLE GETS SEAT ON SICILY INVASION BOAT

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of the ship's family by the time we actually set sail. I was thankful, because it gave me time to get acquainted and get the feel of warfare at sea. We did carry some troops. The first few hours every soldier spent on board was exactly the same—first of all they took a wonderful shower bath, then drank water with ice in it, then sat at a table and ate food with real silverware, then arranged their personal gear along the walls, then drank coffee, sat in real chairs, read recent magazines, saw a movie after supper, then into bed with a real mattress.

It was too much for most of us and we all kept blurting our appreciation until finally I'm sure the Navy must have become sick of our juvenile delights over things that used to be common to all men—and, oh yes, I forgot we have ice cream and Coca Cola aboard, also. That is nothing short of miraculous.

Day-and-Night Loading. We weren't told what day we were to sail but it was obvious it wasn't going to be immediately, for there was still too much going and coming, too much hustle and bustle about the port. Our ship, of course, was blacked out while in port, but the blackout wasn't observed as strictly as our convoy blackouts from England last fall.

For one thing the activity of invasion preparation was so seething those last few weeks that in practically every port in North Africa the harbor lights blazed through the night, contemptuous of danger. There simply wasn't time to be cautious. The ship loading had to go on day and night, so they let the harbor lights burn.

The bunk assigned to me was in one of the big lower bunks, but it was terrifically hot down there so the captain of the ship—a serious, thoughtful veteran naval aviator—had a cot put up for me on deck with a mattress on it, and there I slept with the soft fresh breezes of the Mediterranean night wafting over me. Mine was the best spot on the ship, even better than the captain's.

In slight compensation for this lavish hospitality I agreed to lend a professional touch to the ship's daily mimeographed newspaper by editing and arranging the news dispatches our wireless picked up from all over the world during the night. This little chore involved getting up at 3 a. m., working about two hours, then sitting around chinning and drinking coffee with the radio operators until too late to go back to sleep, so as a sailor I haven't had much rest but, as we say in the newspaper business, you meet a lot of interesting radio operators.

Lower Chauffeurs' City Limit. JEFFERSON CITY, July 15 (AP).—Gov. Forrest C. Donnell signed a bill today permitting 16-year-oldsters to work as chauffeurs and truck drivers for the duration. The bill—strictly a war measure—lowers the commercial drivers' age limit so youngsters can drive farm trucks and other business vehicles. It will expire in June, 1945.

18,000-Ton Drydock Launched. NEWBURGH, N. Y., July 15 (AP).—The launching here today of an 18,000-ton floating drydock was heralded by Navy officers who said it was the largest of its type ever constructed. The drydock was built in the yards of the Chicago Bridge & Iron Co.

STALIN TELLS DE GAULLE, GIRAUD 'OUR COMMON VICTORY IS NOT FAR OFF'

LONDON, July 15 (AP).

In a message to Gen. Henri Giraud and Charles de Gaulle, co-leaders of the French Committee of National Liberation, Joseph Stalin said yesterday that "the day of our common victory over Hitler and Germany is not far off."

The message, sent for Bastille day, was broadcast by the Moscow radio. The text:

"On the day of the national holiday of France I send you and through you to the French people from the government and people of the Soviet Union and myself personally sincerest congratulations.

"The Soviet Union greets the strengthening unity of the French people who are courageously fighting against the German Fascist invaders. The Soviet people firmly believe that the day of our common victory over Hitlerite Germany is not far off and the day of liberation and resurrection of a free democratic and independent France is near at hand."

ST. LOUISANS AT BRITISH AIR BASE LONG FOR HOME

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will come when the sweep is over Belgium. As soon as they have seen their planes into the air, the ground crews gather outside to listen in through open windows.

There is not long to wait. In a surprisingly short time the 400-mile-an-hour Thunderbolts are over enemy territory. With the first words, the solitaire stops, the magazines are put aside. You can feel the tension in the room. Outside the ground crews are listening for every word that comes over the loudspeaker. It is like listening in on the home team in the course of a world series with the stakes higher than in any game.

The boys here at the post know every voice, of course. They know every inflection of every voice and what it means. For an outsider it is a little difficult to follow. The talk on the "inter-com" is a kind of shorthand, full of code words. "My oxygen is out," one of the voices says.

This brings a laugh both inside the room and from the men outside. The speaker is a group oxygen officer and several times in the past he has been jinxed in this same way. "Sorry, no customers," a squadron leader reports. Then: "Look out . . . in the sun . . . behind you."

Converse in Code.

"Twelve plus bandits at 30,000 feet," is the next report. (Bandit is the word for Nazi fighter.)

There is silence in the room and silence outside. The young pilot officers lean forward in their chairs.

"Keep your eyes open. . . . They seem to be coming up behind you. . . ."

"Do we have any friends over Y?" a squadron leader asks the radio station.

The answer is no.

This, incidentally, is one of the important services the British coastal radio stations perform—keeping the fighters apprised of the traffic in the air around them. Without such a service there would inevitably be more accidents than now occur.

"Couple of bandits over. . . . Hello, hello (code word)—six plus bandits heading west over Z."

"Bogeys (designation for planes not yet identified as bandits or friends) approaching at 25,000. . . . approaching from the south-east."

"Keep your eyes open to the rear," says a squadron leader. "Fifteen plus bandits at 25,000. . . . flying out. . . . 20 plus bandits from the east flying west at 28,000."

"Keep your eyes open for bandits climbing behind you. . . ."

Nazis Shun Combat.

There were other reports of "bandits" but in the course of the two-and-a-half-hour sweep not a gun was fired. Repeatedly the Germans refused to meet the American challenge. Now a plan is being worked out whereby each fighter plane will carry a single bomb so that the Nazi fighter

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squadrons will be compelled to come up to try to prevent the Americans from releasing their lethal cargo.

Returning over the field, the mission comes in squadron by squadron. As they circle, the individual planes peel off and lose altitude. The ground crews are ready to receive them. There is some feeling of anti-climax but it is tempered with relief that all the planes have returned. The 50 or more pilot officers go to the officers' mess for a glass of beer and a hearty dinner.

This is the end of a routine day at Fighter Station X. The life of

the station was all pointed up to the sweep—that swift, short run into enemy country. Now it is over. The long, luminous English twilight lingers on. Tomorrow is another day and another sweep and perhaps next time the "bandits" will take the challenge.

ARMY EXPLAINS HOW MAN FELL 700 FEET AND LIVED

ATLANTA, July 15 (AP).—An Army report that a Fort Benning (Ga.) paratrooper survived a 700-foot jump after his parachute

failed to open resulted from a misinterpretation by the Army of entries on the man's official medical and service records, the Fourth Service Command announced yesterday.

Instead of a total failure of both parachutes, as reported in an Army release, there was a "malfunction" of both, but the falling soldier "had sufficient silk surface to reduce his speed from the 140 miles per hour at which he would otherwise have struck the ground," it was said.

Such malfunctions were reported as not uncommon, and fatalities as the result of them were declared the exception rather than the rule.

Calls Special East Side Primary. The East St. Louis City Council yesterday adopted an ordinance providing for a special primary election Sept. 14, and a special election Nov. 2, to choose a city judge to complete the unexpired term of City Judge William F.

Borders, who died May 11. Judge Borders had completed one year of a six-year term at the time of his death.

Traffic Tickets as Theft Check. TULSA, Ok., July 15 (AP).—Police are fighting an epidemic of

automobile thefts with traffic tickets. They found an ordinance providing a \$20 fine for leaving the ignition key in a parked car. They expect a quick drop in both offenses—blaming the latter for the former.

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Attending sporting or athletic events.

The railroads today are carrying nearly four times the passenger traffic they did in 1939, with practically the same amount of equipment. One-half of all available Pullman cars and one-third the number of coaches are being used now for transporting military personnel in special cars or special trains.

VACATION TRIPS

It is desirable, first, that vacations be spent at, or as near, home as possible. However, where journeys are involved, observance of the following would be helpful:

Spread vacation periods over the whole year, instead of the usual concentration during June, July and August.
Commence and terminate vacations on Tuesdays, Wednesdays or Thursdays (relatively light travel days).
Vacation trips should, in no circumstances, involve travel during holiday periods.
Take entire vacation at one time instead of splitting it into several shorter periods, involving perhaps more than one trip.

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WLB GRIEVANCE-TIME PAY POLICY EXPLAINED

Board Member Discusses General Rule in Discussing McQuay-Norris Case.

WASHINGTON, July 15 (AP).—The War Labor Board will not as a matter of policy compel employers to compensate employee union representatives for time lost in adjusting grievances, but the door remains slightly ajar for special circumstances.

Vice Chairman George W. Taylor discussed in an opinion yesterday the board's views on one of the most controversial points in labor relations, a question on which not even labor leaders agree among themselves. The case at issue involves the McQuay-Norris Manufacturing Co. of St. Louis and Indianapolis, and the CIO United Auto Workers.

Dr. Taylor's Explanation. Dr. Taylor said the board "feels that a union demand that management pay union representatives in reality a claim that the grievance procedure is not functioning properly."

"Many unions emphatically reject the idea that management should pay union representatives. On the other hand, the point of view is a part of management's personnel responsibilities for which the full expense should be borne by management."

Dr. Taylor cited a personal experience in a case in which it cost a union more than \$3000 to carry an appeal from the discharge of one employee through the grievance procedure. "The cost alone," he said, "effectively stymied the union from using the grievance procedure... management may be required by the board to pay union representatives for time spent handling grievances in such cases upon showing that management is responsible for unnecessary and unusual delays in the handling of grievances."

On the other hand, said the opinion, when management does pay union representatives "it is sometimes necessary to insure that grievance handling is not delayed by those few union representatives who, with or without management encouragement, would rather negotiate than work."

Dr. Taylor said the board should not disturb an agreement wherein management voluntarily agreed to pay union representatives, but, he added, "the board cannot be a party to setting up a procedure which can readily be abused."

Orders Past Practices. In the case at issue, the board directed the parties to continue their past practices. If the parties could not agree in writing what those practices were, the board said it would appoint an investigator.

The board denied the request of the union for a general increase of 2 cents an hour in the St. Louis plants of the McQuay-Norris firm on the ground the increase would destabilize the company's wage structure, employees in all seven plants at St. Louis, Indianapolis and Connersville, Ind., having already received the full 15 per cent adjustment allowable under the Little Steel formula. Labor members dissented.

U. S. SHOWS PROFIT ON CURIO SHOPS SEIZED FROM JAPANESE

CHICAGO, July 15 (AP).—The Government is showing a profit in the operation of the three Japanese-founded curio shops taken over the day after Pearl Harbor. On Dec. 8, 1941, the Treasury Department seized the three Yamana & Co. stores in New York, Boston and Chicago and they were "vested" in the Allen property Custodian. The shops had \$1,600,000 worth of merchandise in stock, nearly all in Chinese art pieces. Offers of outright purchase and auction were considered too low and it was decided to sell the merchandise at retail.

Sales in the first 12 months were more than a half million dollars, producing enough revenue to pay \$103,000 income tax to the Treasury, \$60,000 in dividends to another branch of the Treasury and \$22,500 to American landlords for rent. The rest of the profits, after deduction of all salaries and expenses, also will go to the Treasury, said Edward C. Taft, chief of the Chicago liquidation division, books are being kept by a firm of accountants as the Government wants to be prepared for possible postwar claims by the original owners.

GLIDER FIRM EXONERATED OF CHARGES IN FIRING OF THREE

A National Labor Relations Board trial examiner exonerated the Laister-Kauffman Aircraft Corporation, 5660 Oakland avenue, yesterday of charges filed by the International Association of Machinists that the company discharged four employees for union activities and otherwise discouraged membership in the union.

Ryburn L. Hackler, who heard the case of the company, which holds Army Air Forces contracts for manufacture of gliders, found that one employee resigned when his wages were reduced to a level commensurate with his skill, and that the three others were discharged for cause.

His report added, however, that the company was technically guilty of unfair labor practices as a result of a supervisor's action in personally discouraging workers from joining the union. The union, which does not have a contract with the company, has appealed the examiner's recommendations.

EXPENDITURES LISTED FROM WAR CHEST FUND

Refugees, Chinese Babies Aided—Supplies Sent to Russia and Greece.

Some expenditures from the fund of more than five million dollars given by \$10,945 residents of the St. Louis area in the War Chest campaign last November, are listed in a report published in an advertisement in the Post-Dispatch today.

The report, covering the first six months of 1943, states that through the assistance of the St. Louis War Chest and others throughout the country orphanages have been established for two million Chinese war babies, two million Polish and Dutch refugees are receiving aid, five million bushels of wheat have been sent to Greece, and supplies valued at a million dollars a month have been sent to Russian civilians.

More than \$480,000 has been given to the United Service Organizations to assist in the support of 1100 service clubs, and \$500,000 has been given to youth protective services and such organizations as the Y. M. C. A. and the Boy Scouts of America, the report states.

Through the War Prisoners' Aid Committee, the report states, more than 21,000 American service men

held in enemy camps receive 113 agencies, including the 85 well-necessities to alleviate suffering, fare agencies of the United Charities. The War Chest is composed of titles.

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ST. LOUIS SCHOOLS TO BENEFIT UNDER BILL SENT DONNELL

Those in City Would Receive \$600,000 More a Year, County \$150,000 if Law Is Revised.

By CURTIS A. BETTS
State Political Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, July 15.—The public schools of St. Louis will profit approximately \$600,000 annually and those of St. Louis County approximately \$150,000 under a revision of the State school money apportionment law, which was sent to Gov. Donnell by the Legislature yesterday for his signature.

The new apportionment act will increase the allotment to St. Louis from about \$780,000 to \$1,380,000 and that of St. Louis County from about \$725,000 to \$875,000. The schools of Jackson County (Kansas City) will receive about \$300,000 additional, bringing their total allotment to about \$1,030,000.

Throughout the State, 2200 of the 9000 school districts will receive additional funds through the revised apportionment plan. Some districts which levy very low taxes for schools will suffer slight reductions. The total of the distributable school fund for the 1943 school year is expected to be about 17 million dollars.

The school act, known as the 1931 school law, was designed primarily to aid the poorer rural districts and to raise standards of education in the public school system throughout the State. Under it the schools in the larger cities have received only a minor amount of the funds.

Previous efforts to bring about a more nearly equitable adjustment have failed because of rural opposition to relinquishing any of the funds the rural districts had been receiving. In the bill introduced this year by Representative Edgar J. Keating of Kansas City, a better system was devised and rural opposition largely was allayed, so much so that in the Senate yesterday not a vote was cast against the bill. This was due to a considerable extent to the fact that the districts in the larger cities and towns throughout the State would profit under the plan.

Some Senators were undecided on how they would vote until almost the time for the roll call, because some of the schools in their districts would gain and others lose by the plan.

When the bill was first taken up in the House it failed of passage as a result of the opposition of a rural bloc; but on reconsideration several weeks later it was passed, although it received only seven votes more than the required 76.

Wants MacArthur as Candidate, AURORA, Ill., July 15 (AP).—The Kane County Republican central committee unanimously approved a resolution yesterday asking that Gen. Douglas MacArthur "be drafted by the Republican party as its candidate for President in 1944."

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U. S. EMPLOYEE HELD TO HAVE KILLED TYPIST AND HIMSELF

WASHINGTON, July 15 (AP).—The Coroner listed as murder and suicide today the deaths of William Knox Chandler, employed in the Office of Strategic Services, and Rosemary Sidley, former Chicago debutante who had been working at OSS as a stenographer for several months. Chandler was 42 years

old; Miss Sidley was 31. Police said the shooting, last Monday night in a sitting room of Miss Sidley's rooming house, followed a "jealous argument," heard by other occupants of the house just prior to the sound of two pistol shots. Miss Sidley was found shot in the chest, and Chandler fatally wounded by a bullet through the head. Coroner A. Magruder MacDonald said Chandler, married and the father of two children, apparently shot Miss Sidley and then himself. Chandler was supervisor of the office in which Miss Sidley worked.

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Shettley Upsets Bradshaw, Plays Cochran Next in Metro Golf Tourney

Champion Of Juniors Bows, 1 Up

Charlton Bradshaw, the Metro junior golf champion, lost out in the second round of the Metropolitan amateur tournament when he was upset by Vern Shettley, 1 up, on the Municipal Links in Forest Park this morning.

Shettley's third round opponent will be Bob Cochran, the district's crack amateur. They will meet over the 18-hole route tomorrow morning at 9:30 o'clock. Cochran defeated Clyde Summers, 7 and 5, to advance to the third round.

Other second round results included Jack Henderson's 3 and 2 decision over Earl Rose and Clarence O'Hare's 5 and 4 victory over Don Bagby Jr.

Bill Bentley, co-medalist with Cochran, with a 69, is scheduled to play his first contest this evening against Harry Kaufman who qualified with a 78.

Quarterfinals Today in Men's Class A Tennis

Men's quarterfinals are scheduled to be completed today in the Municipal Class A tennis championships under way on the Jefferson Memorial Courts in Forest Park. Also on the program are men's and women's doubles and several women's singles.

In the first encounter at 3 o'clock, Eric Mattern and Fred Varner meet, with a women's doubles following Marie Pickrell and Sarita Loeb playing Clara Rieser and Clara Mataya at 4:30. Miss Loeb and Mary O. Lewis entered the quarterfinals yesterday in the singles, Miss Loeb disposing of Lorraine Meyer, 6-0, 6-0, and Miss Lewis defeating Clara Bischoff, 6-4, 8-6.

Today's schedule
3 p. m.—Eric Mattern vs. Fred Varner.
3:30 p. m.—Marie Pickrell and Sarita Loeb vs. Clara Rieser and Clara Mataya.
4:30 p. m.—Lorraine Meyer vs. Lorraine Meyer.
5:30 p. m.—Ed Duff and Ray Rieser vs. Al Simon and Leon DeMequillo; Dave Chopin and Bob Herford vs. Gale Atwell and Vic Schmeeman; Bill Ziervogel vs. Gale Atwell.
6:15 p. m.—Roland Klein vs. Newton Amos; Jane Bertelson vs. Celia Castaneda.
6:30 p. m.—Frances Rose and Mildred Poole vs. Ruth Hardy and Dorothy Deschner; Charles Cooby vs. Vic Huse; Steve Post vs. Elmer Haub.
7 p. m.—Bob Light vs. Winner of Post-Haub match; Adella Due and Celia Castaneda vs. Jane Bertelson and Josephine Marschall; Keith Cohen and Josephine Heiman vs. Bill Koeder and Elmer Haub; Frank Marschall and Raymond Scott vs. Newton Amos and Gene Weber.

CHAMPIONSHIP CLASS: Mixed doubles first round—Jean Smith and Elmer Haub defeated Josephine Marschall and Celia Castaneda, 6-2, 6-2.
CLASS A: Men's singles, second round—Vic Huse defeated Walter Heiman, 8-6, 6-0; Bob Light defeated Leslie Nachman, 6-1, 6-3; Roland Klein defeated Ray Rieser, 6-1, 6-4; Gale Atwell defeated Don Schuessler, 6-1, 6-4; Fred Varner defeated Ray Rieser, 6-1, 6-3, 6-4.
Women's singles, second round—Josephine Marschall defeated Adella Due, 6-2, 6-1.
Third round—Sarita Loeb defeated Lorraine Meyer, 6-0, 6-0; Mary O. Lewis defeated Clara Bischoff, 6-4, 8-6.
Men's doubles, first round—Charles Cooby and Leon Davis defeated Frank Strunk and Fred Varner, 1-6, 6-3, 7-5; Bob Light and Fred McAvoy won from Don Block and Bud Busch, default; Leslie Nachman and John Garner defeated Ray Schuessler and Don Schuessler, 6-1, 6-6, Dr. F. O. Menzel and Roland Klein defeated Bill Ziervogel and Bob Ziervogel, 6-4, 6-6, 6-3.
Women's doubles, first round—Rita Reiser and Clara Bischoff, default; Wuma Smith and Susan Kobusch, default; Shirley Lachman and Ruth Mochlenkamp, 6-0, 6-2; Marie Pickrell and Sarita Loeb defeated Eleanor Mueller and Glenna Mae Chapman, 6-0, 6-0; Clara Rieser and Clara Mataya defeated Mary O. Lewis and Bess Simon, 6-3, 6-4.

SHORT WAVES

At a time when many schools have abandoned football and numerous coaches are wondering where they are going to get material for a team, LYNN WALDORF of NORTHWESTERN has a wealth of it.

He's even thinking of holding a 'get-acquainted' hour to learn about his players. . . . Waldorf, starting his ninth season with the Wildcats, has more than 50 athletes on his roster, 20 or more of them backfield men including such standouts as OTTO GRAHAM and HERMAN FRICKLEY, former Minnesota player. . . . All this is the result of gridders assigned to Northwestern as NAVY or MARINE student. . . . MARSHALL COLLEGE has withdrawn from football for the duration leaving the University of WEST VIRGINIA as the only college in the State to continue the game.

BEAU JACK, the Augusta (Ga.) showman boy couldn't even read his draft notice nor can he write his name, but he's learning the meaning of the figure in the corner of a banknote. . . . Since his rapid rise in the ring, Beau Jack, who was born SIDNEY WALKER, has amassed a fund of \$100,000. . . . Says he hasn't touched it and plans to buy a farm some day. . . . Does he ever stop to think where he might be if he could read and write? He knows. . . . In the ARMY, which rejected him for illiteracy. . . . FRANKIE SINKWICH, All-America star at



WALDORF

GEORGIA, has entered the MARINE "boot-camp" at Parris Island, S. C., and Sinkwich, recently drafted by DETROIT of the National pro league, hopes to come back to the LIONS after the war. NARRAGANSETT race track will close its parking lots and bar taxis and private cars from the premises during the race meeting opening Aug. 9, GOV. McGRATH announces. . . . Mrs. John D. Hertz' great three-year-old, COUNT FLEET, which injured a leg in the running of the Belmont Stakes more than a month ago, is back in training at Jamaica. . . . COL. MATT WINN, the 'young' Kentucky turfman of 82 who runs the DEWEY, is spending a vacation in New York, and predicts that after the war the country will see a billion dollars poured through the mutuels annually. . . . Last season the figure was \$598,000,000. . . . Col. Winn also says that racing is not doing enough for the war fund. . . . Racing contributed \$3,000,000 in 1942. . . . He says the amount should be doubled with two days instead of one for war relief at each meet.

CORP. JIMMY REESE, former St. Louis Cardinal and New York Giants baseball player has been discharged from the Army at Camp Campbell, Ky., being over 38 years old. . . . GEORGE A. PECHINEY, 81, baseball pitcher with the REDS in 1885-86 and with CLEVELAND for several years thereafter, died at Cincinnati. . . . JACOB W. SLAGLE, star halfback at Princeton in the mid-twenties, has been named treasurer of a syndicate for the purpose of acquiring a franchise for a BALTIMORE team in the National Pro Football League. . . . The group has been seeking a team since the park board recently opened the Municipal Stadium to Sunday sports.

Eights to Race Again Sunday

The Western Rowing Club will hold its annual opening at the clubhouse at the foot of Dock street Sunday, with an eight-oared event, a doubles race and a singles on the program. In the eight-oared competition,

Western meets a Central Club crew which won a race between the two boats on July 5, when Central opened its season.

The Municipal Rowing Association has announced that it will hold its annual regatta at the Central Club in north St. Louis, Saturday, July 31, the event opening as a twilight affair at 5 o'clock.

Western hopes for revenge on its home course in the eight Sunday, which would make the Muny regatta a decisive affair.

SOFTBALL

LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS.

St. Louis Park—Wetzel 0, Rutis 3 (girls); Rutis 5, Grand and Park 1 (men). North Side Park—Hollywood 6, Duro 7 (girls); 8 innings; W. S. O. W. 2, Emerson 7 (men). High School—Emerson Radials 7, Medics 2.

TONIGHT'S SCHEDULE.

St. Louis Park—Zenthofer vs. Walther (girls); 7:30 o'clock; Pop Kolas vs. Mera-mee (men), 9 o'clock. North Side Park—Emerson vs. Curtiss-Wright (girls), 7:30 o'clock; Curtiss vs. Mo-Pac (men), 9 o'clock.

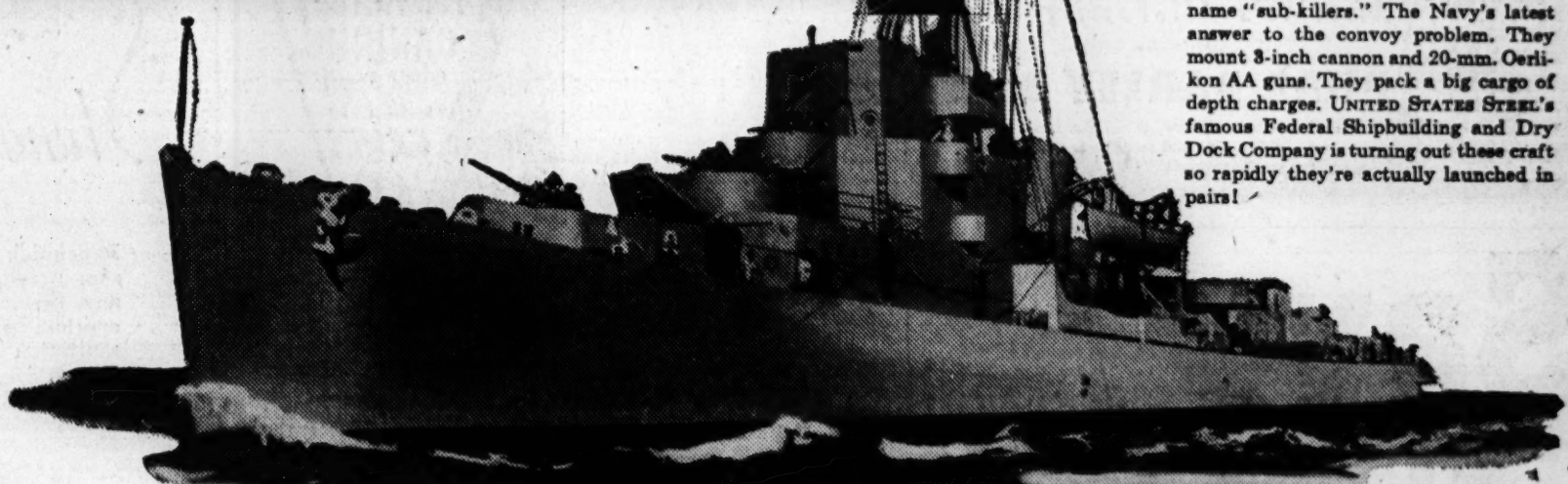
Joe Louis to Practice Over Tam O'Shanter

CHICAGO, July 15 (AP).—Sergeant Joe Louis, once he enrolled in Tam O'Shanter's All-American amateur golf tournament, wasted little time getting in a round of practice over the scene of next week's big show. Now on Army furlough, the heavyweight boxing champion made his official entry yesterday and asked permission to play 18 holes today.

No Autos Allowed At Cooperstown Game

COOPERSTOWN, N. Y., July 15 (AP).—A sign on Doubleday Field, where the Chicago White Sox and the Brooklyn Dodgers play the annual Shrine game July 19, says: "Horse and people this way; no cars allowed." For emphasis, a \$10 prize will be awarded the driver of the horse-drawn vehicle bringing the most persons from outside the village limits.

WINNING THE WAR AGAINST THE SUB



U. S. Navy Official Photo

NAVY'S NEW WEAPONS DESTROY U-BOATS

The German High Command now admits that U-boats are sinking less and less tonnage. March losses of 850,000 tons dropped to 415,000 in April, 372,000 in May. Prime Minister Churchill recently reported: "... as a result of the May victory and massacre of U-boats we have had in June the best month we have ever known in the whole 46 of the war."

The United Nations' combined production of dry cargo ships in May set a record of 1,782,000 deadweight tons. By these figures, our launchings were 4½ times our losses in May.

All directly due to our growing naval might. More fighting ships on guard. New airplane carriers. New destroyer escorts (popularly named "sub-killers"), livelier even than destroyers. U-boats are finding fewer and fewer targets.

On this page are shown some of the newer weapons that are killing off the U-boats. The war against subs is not over. Nor will it be won by any single weapon. All weapons together—planes, warships, detection devices, guns, blimps, depth charges, bombs, workers ashore—make a team.



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TWO "ASH CANS" AT ONCE. As soon as the new detection devices locate a sub near the convoy, fighting ships race to the scene, drop depth charges. America's convoys are being better protected month by month, as America's many shipyards speed delivery of destroyers and destroyer escorts.

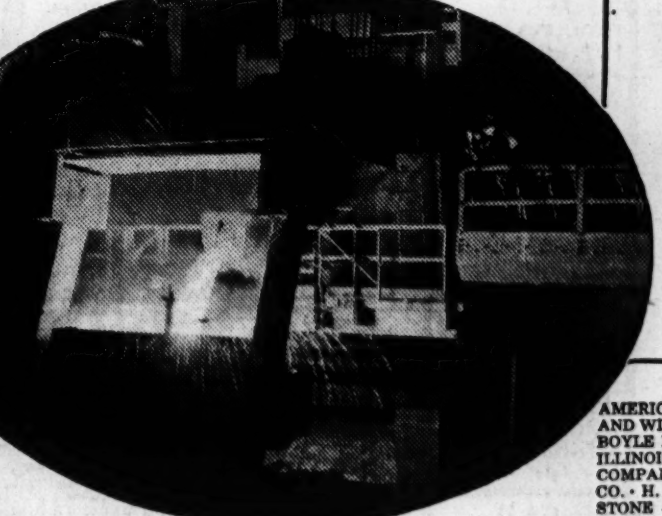


WORLD'S RECORD OF 170 DAYS, keel to launching, is held for this type of destroyer by U. S. STEEL's Federal shipyard. This record-holding shipyard completed more destroyers for the Navy in 1942, and in shorter building time, than any other shipyard in the country. Prefabricating started here 'way back in 1918. This single company delivered 64 completed ships in 1942—three times its 1941 record.



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BLIMPS FOR "EYES." The slow speed of a blimp is an advantage in studying the water for telltale outlines of undersea killers. The sub stops its engines. It may fool under-water listening "ears," but not watchful eyes overhead.



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SICILIAN DRIVE A VICTORY MARCH FOR CANADIANS

Correspondent Reports
Italians Are Yielding by Hundreds in 30-Mile Advance.

By BOSS MUNRO
Canadian Press War Correspondent
(Distributed by the Associated Press.)
ON THE CANADIAN FRONT IN SOUTHEAST SICILY, July 13 (Delayed).—With Italians surrendering in droves and towns capitulating with scarcely any fight, these first three days of the amazing Sicilian campaign have been a sweep for Canadians in this sector. I finally caught up with the fast-moving front-line troops yesterday afternoon in a jeep after pursuing them afoot for two days.

Even the commanders were surprised by the meager defense the Italians were making for their homeland. The Canadians have taken every advantage of the weak stand of the enemy, and American and British troops are having equal successes.

It has been a victory march so far through the vineyards, olive groves and plantations and over chalk dust roads of this part of Sicily, but there may be trouble ahead.

30 Miles Inland.
With a few battalion actions and numerous skirmishes the Canadians have pushed inland more than 30 miles now and they are getting a breather before the next phase of this Allied operation.

Yesterday they joined up with the Americans on the left and have been keeping pace with a famous British division—which is no small achievement, considering the battle experience of these Tommies.

Every town in the Canadians' path has fallen without major fighting. Pozzallo on the south coast, 15 miles west of the beach where we landed, was occupied by two companies. Ischia flew the white flag as we mounted the attack on this cliff-top town which had been shelled by the Navy, and Rosolini collapsed before Eastern Canada troops.

Both of these towns are on a line northeast of Pozzallo. General Captured.

Modica, 15 miles northwest of Ischia, gave up as the Canadians were preparing to strike it and here the Canucks captured their first Italian General, Gen. Achille d'Avet, commander of the 206th Coastal Division, which was supposed to defend the coast where the Canadians landed.

With the Canadian attack imminent, the General asked for terms and was told "unconditional surrender."

He accepted and asked if he could retain his revolver as a gesture of military honor. That was approved but it was ordered that the General's ammunition be taken from him.

This Italian General was decorated with the (British) military cross in the last war by the Duke of Connaught, one-time governor General of Canada, and the interpreter went to some lengths to inform the Canadian General of his commanding of this.

We went into Ischia, population 13,000 normally, and only a few women, children and dogs were on the streets.

The town had been knocked about by Navy gunfire and rubble littered the narrow streets and one wide avenue.

Civilian Reaction.
The reaction of the Italian civilians has been rather surprising. We expected they might be gullen and completely unco-operative but it has not been like that. Perhaps they are faking but when the Canadians pass through the towns dozens of citizens stand on the sidewalks and give the "V for victory" sign, clap their hands and grin as if it were an Italian celebration.

In Modica a dead Canadian was lying by the roadside and the Italians had draped the body with a white sheet and placed flowers on it.

Just before we got to Modica late yesterday we passed a batch of more than a thousand prisoners—the largest I had seen.

I saw Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery for a moment Sunday on a road near the bleak town of Pachino.

He was riding around in one of the big trucks used so successfully to bring in men and stores after the assault landings. He was wearing his black beret and looking very dusty and grim. Several Canadians saw him on the beach and Pvt. Pete Dunaway of London, Ont., said that when he

landed on the beach with a truck on Sunday Montgomery was there in a jeep with other senior officers.

Dunaway said the Eighth Army commander called the Canucks into a group saying: "Gather, 'round, boys, and I will give you some news."

Then he told them of the fall of Syracuse and added that he was very glad having the Canadians with him on this task.

After the Canadians established their bridgehead he told some Canadian officers: "I am quite satisfied that the Canadians are as good as anything in the Eighth Army."

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HALEITE, POWERFUL NEW EXPLOSIVE, IS PERFECTED BY ARMY

Development of a powerful new explosive called Haleite was announced here today by the Army Ordnance Department.

The new substance, named for Dr. George C. Hale, chief chemist at the Picatinny Arsenal, Dover, N. J., burns with great speed and is particularly adapted for use as a detonator, it was explained by Col. T. C. Gerber, field director of ammunition plants.

It will not be used as the main filler of bombs or shells, and its production will not affect output of TNT at such plants as the Weldon Spring Ordnance Works, Col. Gerber added. At present the explosive is still in the laboratory

production stage. Haleite could be manufactured in the St. Louis Ordnance District without any change of existing equipment, although as yet no orders have been received for its production in this area, it was reported by Col. Merle H. Davis, head of the district.

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PUBLISHERS TOLD BY WPB TO CUT PAPER SUPPLIES

Orders Limited to Consumption Quota, Inventories Held to 50-Day Stock by Edict.

WASHINGTON, July 15 (AP).—The War Production Board yesterday directed all newspaper publishers to reduce their orders of print paper to their consumption quotas, and at the same time required a majority of the publishers to hold inventories to 50 days' supply. The previous inventory limit was 75 days' supply.

H. M. Bitner, director of WPB's printing and publishing division, said it was hoped the two measures would reduce orders of print paper to meet available supplies. The regulations, effective Aug. 1, are based on recommendations of the Newspaper Industry Advisory Committee, Bitner said.

He added that print paper orders for August, if already placed, must be made to conform to the new regulation, which covers deliveries or acceptances of newspaper after Aug. 1, regardless of the date of orders.

Limits Inventories. The new limitation holds inventories of each newspaper to 50 days' supply in the 26 states north of the northern boundary of North Carolina and east of the Rocky Mountains. These use about 80 per cent of the print paper consumed in the United States.

An inventory of 75 days still is permitted in the 22 states more remote from sources of supply. All inventories are based on average daily rate of consumption during the first six months of 1943. Unless specifically authorized, no publisher may accept delivery of print paper if his inventory of paper on hand, available for use, or in transit exceeds two carloads, or, if in excess of two carloads, exceeds the 50 to 75 days' supply, dependent on his location.

Says Stocks Are Low. Bitner said paper stocks are low and supplies are limited, although both domestic and Canadian production facilities have been expanded to the utmost.

"Therefore," he added, "the printing and publishing division is endeavoring to effect an equitable distribution of available paper and this is being done without any distinction as to the type of newspaper."

Beginning Aug. 1, publishers may not accept delivery of print paper in any one month in excess of one-third of their current quarterly quota plus a similar proportion of any additional quarterly tonnage granted by WPB after an appeal. Smaller papers whose deliveries amount to a fraction of a carload may, however, increase their receipts to one carload a month.

FIGHT TO REGULATE SETUP PLACES ENDED BY DONNELLY

JEFFERSON CITY, July 15 (AP).—A legislative attempt to bring night clubs and set-up serving places under State regulation was abandoned today by its sponsor, Senator Phil M. Donnelly (Dem.), Lebanon. Donnelly struck his bill from the Senate calendar, killing it for this session.

Under its original terms entertainment places which permit liquor drinking would have been required to obtain State licenses subjecting them to supervision of the Liquor Department. They now are unlicensed. The bill contained a curfew clause to force night clubs and such establishments to abide by the same closing hours as those for saloons.

The bill passed the Senate early in the session. It got a strong going over in the House which finally passed it with a host of amendments changing several features. Donnelly abandoned it rather than trying to compromise differences between the Senate and House versions of the proposal.

MRS. CLARA MINGES' ESTATE SHOWS ASSETS OF \$124,770

An inventory of the estate of Mrs. Clara Minges, filed in Probate Court at Clayton today, listed assets of \$124,770. Mrs. Minges, who died April 29, was the widow of Dr. W. W. Minges, a dentist. Among the assets were real estate valued at \$38,500, \$47,425 in notes, and \$25,742 in stocks.

In a will filed earlier Mrs. Minges bequeathed \$10,000 to her mother, Mrs. Kate Stietz, 7801 Delmar boulevard, University City, with whom she resided at the time of her death, and the rest of the estate to her son, William F. Prufrock Jr., who is with the armed forces at Camp Shelby, Miss.

MILK PRODUCERS GOT 5¢ RISE

Milk producers in the St. Louis marketing area received an average of 5¢ a hundredweight for June deliveries, William C. Eckles, acting market administrator, announced today. That represented an increase of 5 cents a hundredweight over that in May, 1943, and 86 cents more than in June, 1942.

Eckles said a Federal order provides for an automatic increase effective July 1, of 30 cents a hundredweight for Class I, or bottled milk, and 20 cents a hundredweight for Class II milk, which goes into various dairy products.

USE COUPON #21 TODAY
—It is not good after Wednesday (July 21st). Coupon #22 is good beginning Thursday (July 22nd). Take full advantage of this opportunity—buy A&P Coffee with these two coupons and all your other coffee coupons. Enjoy finer, fresher flavor!

NOW'S THE TIME TO

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Tired of coffee that just "gets by"... that lacks zip and fresh-flavored goodness? Well... now's the time to change all that... by changing to A&P Coffee... America's Favorite! This grand coffee sings with the superb flavor that makes a second cup a "must". Note, too, that in spite of wartime conditions, the grand quality of A&P Coffee has not changed... in fact, THERE'S NO BETTER COFFEE AT ANY PRICE! Now that you can have more coffee... be sure that the coffee you buy is right on the beam. Use all your coupons for A&P Coffee... enjoy finer, fresher flavor!

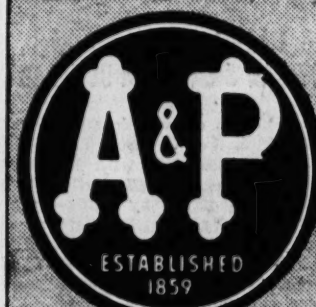


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Iced coffee is at its best when you give it the finer, fresher flavor of A&P Coffee. So, make summertime a more pleasant time... by serving Iced A&P Coffee.



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The cereal that's fun to eat! "Keen!" say youngsters. "Crisp and crunchy!" says Dad. "Dee-licious!" says Mom—a landslide for Shreddies!

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ANN PAGE Mustard 3-Lb. Jar **20c**

ANN PAGE PLAIN Olives 4 1/2-Oz. Bottle **22c**

SUNNYFIELD Corn Flakes 11-Oz. Pkg. **7c**

SUNNYFIELD Rice Puffs 4 1/2-Oz. Ctn. **7c**

ENRICHED FLOUR

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24-Lb. Bag **\$1.18**

PILLSBURY CAKE FLOUR

Snoosheen Pkg. **24c**

SUNNYFIELD Cake Flour Pkg. **17c**

KEOKUK SWEET Pickles Qt. **27c**

POWDERED PECTIN M. C. P. 2 1/2-Oz. Pkg. **23c**

VITAMINIZED SOUP Mary Lynn 2 2 1/4-Oz. Jars **25c**

WILSON'S BEEF EXTRACT B. V. 2 1/2-Oz. Jar **23c**

NABISCO Shredded Wheat Pkg. **11c**

TOILET SOAP—CASHMERE

Bouquet 3 Cakes **25c**

WHITE LAUNDRY SOAP Crystal White 3 Lge. Bars **14c**

SOAP POWDER—BLUE Super Suds 24-Oz. Pkg. **23c**

TOILET SOAP Woodbury's 3 Cakes **23c**

WHITE SAIL Ammonia 32-Oz. Bottle **10c**

DRY CLEANER Apenn Gal. Can **53c**

TOILET TISSUE

NORTHERN

4 Rolls **20¢**

SHORTENING

CRISCO

3 -Lb. Jar **68¢**

RED—15 POINTS

LAUNDRY SOAP

P & G

3 Lge. Bars **14¢**

SOAP ITEMS SUBJECT TO STOCK ON HAND

TOILET SOAP

CAMAY

3 Cakes **20¢**

ALTON MAN WAS ON CRUISER
RECEIVING HELENA SURVIVORS

Commander Guy B. Helmick, mentioned yesterday in a dispatch from the Solomon Islands as the chief engineer of the cruiser that received the survivors of the cruiser Helena sunk by the Japanese in

the first Kula Gulf battle, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy D. Helmick, 1882 Evergreen avenue, Alton.

Born in Hannibal, Mo., in 1908, he was graduated from the Naval Academy at Annapolis in 1926. From 1928 to 1940 he was in charge of the St. Louis naval recruiting office. He was at Pearl Harbor

at the time of the Japanese attack. He is a nephew of the late Admiral R. E. Coontz of Hannibal, who was in charge of naval operations when American troops were returned from France in 1918, and a brother of Mrs. Edward J. Crowe, 217 Kingsville court, Webster Groves, and Mrs. Andrew Menzie, Clarion, Pa.

ALLIES UNITED
ON FOOD, INTERIM
SESSION IS TOLD

Dean Acheson, Addressing First Meeting, Calls for Pooling of Energies in Fight on Want.

WASHINGTON, July 15 (AP).—The United Nations are as truly united in the war against want and fear as they are in the war against aggression, Assistant Secretary of State Dean Acheson said today in an address welcoming delegates to the first session of the United Nations Interim Commission on Food and Agriculture.

The task of the commission created by the United Nations food conference at Hot Springs, Va., last month, is to draw up plans for a permanent international organization on food and agriculture. It also will formulate a declaration, to be submitted to the 44 Governments or authorities represented on the commission, recognizing their national responsibility for providing each of their citizens with the opportunity to obtain sufficient food for an adequate diet.

The Hot Springs Conference, Acheson recalled, agreed that each nation should accept the responsibility for seeing that its own people are adequately fed.

"But it was also recognized," he added in his address, "that each nation can fully achieve this goal for its own citizens only if all nations work together. We must pool our energies in the fight against hunger and drought just as we do against the Axis. And, just as strategic decisions for military campaigns must be made in common, so there must be agreement on strategy among Allies in the age-old struggle for fuller, healthier life."

In a response on behalf of the assembled delegates, India's representative, Sir Girja Shankar Bajpai, pointed out that the Interim Commission, like the Hot Springs Conference which created it, can only explore and recommend.

ZOO BOARD ASKS WHETHER
IT CAN SIGN UNION CONTRACT

An opinion on whether the Zoological Board of Control has power to sign a contract with a labor union has been asked of the City Council's office by Park Commissioner Palmer B. Baumes, board chairman, he disclosed yesterday. His request followed submission to the board of a proposed contract, calling for an estimated \$25,000 a year in wage increases, by the Zoological Employees' Local No. 729 of the A.F. Federation of State, County, and Municipal Employees.

The city has no power to sign a labor union contract, but the board is largely independent of the city government and the question is whether the same rule applies to it, Baumes said. The proposed contract calls for a union shop and dues check-off among Zoo employees, provides for an increased number of attendants in certain buildings and contains a no-strike clause.

A new system of classification of employees would be set up under the proposal. An unusual clause calls for an end to special shows for moving picture companies, news reels, "visiting dignitaries and friends of those in authority," unless trainers are paid extra at the rate of \$10 an hour and keepers and attendants at the rate of \$5 an hour.

CIO HOLDS UP DRIVE TO SCRAP
LITTLE STEEL PAY FORMULA

PITTSBURGH, July 15 (AP).—The CIO is withholding a threatened drive to scrap the Little Steel wage formula unless an effective price rollback and food subsidy program was operating by July 15, its president, Philip Murray, disclosed today.

"It is my understanding now that the President of the United States can exercise the power to demand an effective rollback," Murray declared. "We will await that action."

He said this "understanding" was based on the Senate's defeat of an anti-subsidy measure originating in the House. Murray told a Congressional committee June 25 that unless the rollback was operating by mid-July, his organization would be compelled to demand a scrapping of the Little Steel wage formula and the President's hold-the-line order against inflation.

STRETCH
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Deadline on Reports Extended.
WASHINGTON, July 16 (AP).—The Treasury announced yesterday that the deadline for filing reports of American-owned property in foreign countries had been extended from Aug. 31 to Nov. 1.

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American Lady-Topmost
CALIF. PRUNES
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2 Lb. Cr. **39c**
No Points

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INSTANTLY MADE
Lima Bean or Split Pea, Pkg. — **10c**

AMERICAN LADY—TOPMOST
Dehydrated Vegetable Noodle-Soup, 3 Pkgs. 25c

HIPOLITE
MARSHMALLOW CREME
Pint **27c**
Delicious for Icings, Toppings, Etc.
SUBJECT TO STOCK

CAMAY SOAP
3 Bars **21c**
Subject to Stock

SUNSHINE
WHEAT TOAST WAFERS
1 Lb. Pkg. **19c**

BROOK'S BEANS
—READY TO SERVE—
NAVY BEANS
IN TOMATO SAUCE
2 for **29c**
17-oz. jars—no points.

TOPMOST ENRICHED FLOUR 5-Lb. Sack **29c**

ORANGES 176 Size, California — Doz. **55c**

LEMONS 300 Size, California — Doz. **43c**

ICEBERG LETTUCE California 2 Heads **23c**

POTATOES Arkansas Triumphs — 10 Lbs. **45c**

SQUASH White—Home Grown — Lb. **10c**

OXYDOL
Med. Size **9c**
Subject to Stock

SUNSHINE
Sugar & Honey
GRAHAM CRACKERS
Pkg. **19c**
Delicious with Milk

Krey's
Tendered Cooked Hams Whole or Shank Ends Pound — **39c**
(Ready to Serve)

Krey's
BREAKFAST BACON 1 to 3 Lb. Pieces; **32c**
Pound — (Sugar Cured)

Krey's
PURE LARD 2-Lb. Carton **35c**
for

Krey's
Braunschweiger or Polish Sausage Lb. **37c**

Krey's
PORK SAUSAGE Pound — **37c**
Krey's Country Style

Krey's
FRESH SPARERIBS Pound — **23c**

Nation-Wide White Label
MACARONI-SPAGHETTI Pound Carton **10c**

Nation-Wide
EGG NOODLES 6-Oz. 2 for **19c** 12-Oz. **17c**
Cello

American Lady-Topmost
QUICK-RONI 10-Oz. Packages 2 for **17c**

Nation-Wide
BRAN FLAKES 8-Oz. Packages 3 for **25c**

Nation-Wide
OLIVE OIL Pure 3-Oz. Bottle **25c**

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SALAD DRESSING 12-Oz. Jar **17c**

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Fresh fruits and vegetables from your neighborhood IGA Store is the low cost way to vitamin-rich menus in ration time. Non-rationed delicacies of garden, field and orchard... sparkling fresh... inviting you to help yourself to health. They cost no points... and they save you more money at IGA.

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IGA HIGH TEST LYE... 2 Cans 17c
MAKE YOUR OWN SOAP

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POST TOASTIES CORN FLAKES... 8c
LARGE 11-oz. PACKAGE

SANKA Coffee, lb. 36c
Use Stamp No. 21

Sunshine SUGAR-HONEY GRAHAMS
1-Lb. Box **19c**
Sunshine Wheat Test
Wafers Pkg. 19c
Delicious with soups or shakes.

SUNKIST FIG BARS 19c
Pound

Margarine 23c
SNO-FLAKE 1-Lb. CARTON (4 Red Points)

SCOT-TISSUE... 4 Rolls 27c
MILK PET. WILSON, CARNATION, BORDERS 3 Tall 14 1/2-Oz. CANS **27c**
1 Red Point Per Can
SALAD DRESSING... 16-Oz. JAR 15c (JAYTEE)

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1-Lb. BAG **26c**

CORN FLAKES GOLD TOST 2 Large 11-oz. Pkgs. **15c**

WHEAT PUFFS... 2 8-Oz. Pkgs. 15c (MUCH MORE)

NEW APPLES — 2 Lbs. **15c**

WHITE SQUASH — Lb. **5c**

MICHIGAN CELERY — Stalk **15c**

ICEBERG LETTUCE — Head **15c**

FRESH PEAS — Lb. **15c**

IGA PURE CIDER VINEGAR — Quart Bottle **15c**

IGA MATCHES, RED BOX — 6 Boxes **23c**

HI-POINTE FURNITURE POLISH — 16-Oz. Bottle **15c**

IGA WAX PAPER (125-Sq. Roll 23c) 3 49-Sq. Rolls **25c**

SCOT-PAPER TOWELS — Roll **9c**

LYDIA GREY CLEANSING TISSUE — 200's **10c**

DAWN TISSUE — 4 Rolls **25c**

IGA CORN STARCH — Lb. Pkg. **7c**

LIGHT 'N FLUFFY CAKE FLOUR — 2 1/2-Lb. Pkg. **19c**

IGA SPICES (MUSTARD SEED, CREAM TARTAR, PAPRIKA, GROUND NUTMEG) — 3-Oz. Pkg. **9c**

LIFEBUOY SOAP — 3 Bars **20c**

AUNT SUE'S DRY CLEANER — 6-oz. **69c**

WOODBURY SOAP — 3 Bars **25c**

LIBERTY GREEN BEANS 11 Blue Points No. 2 Can **15c**

EARLY GARDEN (14 Blue Points)

DEL MONTE ASPARAGUS SPEARS No. 2 Round Can **34c**

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NEW LAW LIMITS AGENTS' FEES

WASHINGTON, July 15 (AP).—President Roosevelt signed yesterday a measure to curb excessive profits received by commission agents in obtaining Government war contracts for their manufacturing clients.

The statute subjects earnings of the agents, in excess of \$25,000, to Government scrutiny and renegotiation if found to be too high.

FOR NEW STATE BUILDING

JEFFERSON CITY, July 15.—Construction of an additional State office building in Jefferson City, to provide quarters for State departments and boards, is authorized in a bill passed by the House late yesterday and sent to the Governor.

The new building is intended primarily for the State Unemployment Compensation Commission. This department, with several hundred employees, has occupied quarters in a factory building. The bill carries no appropriation for construction.

ITALIANS GAVE UP WITH BAGS PACKED, SAYS EYEWITNESS

He Reports Prisoners' First Question Was, 'Where Are We Going and When?'

AN ALLIED FORCE COMMAND POST IN NORTH AFRICA, July 15 (AP).—Irving Smith, a news reel camera man who covered the American landings in Sicily and returned to North Africa on a ship that brought some Axis wounded, said a number of Italians surrendered with their traveling bags packed.

"I can't speak Italian and can't swear to this part—but the boys said the prisoners' first question was, 'Where are we going and when?'"

Violinist Misha Livshutz Dies. CHICAGO, July 15 (AP).—Misha Livshutz, Russian-born violinist once awarded a medal by Czar Nicholas while concertmaster of the symphony orchestra, died yesterday. He was 47 years old. He came to America in 1922 and played for one year in the New York Symphony orchestra.

SULPHURIC ACID PLANT SEEKS TO STOP FUMES

Precipitating Equipment to Be Tried as Result of Neighbors' Complaints.

Fume precipitating equipment will be tested on the stack of a sulphuric acid manufacturing unit at the Titanium Division plant of the National Lead Co. to determine if fumes which have been annoying residents of South St. Louis can be eliminated in this manner, a spokesman for the company said yesterday.

He added the company had assured residents of the community near the plant, which is just outside the southern city limits, that other efforts will be made to eliminate the fumes but that the production of war chemicals will not be curtailed.

Numerous complaints have been made in the last few weeks that the fumes damaged paint and vegetation and caused coughing. A citizens' committee from the area met with plant officials Saturday to discuss the situation.

"At this meeting," a company spokesman said, "it was emphasized that disagreeable fumes coming from the stacks resulted from the manufacture of materials used in the manufacture of war materials. Under present conditions it is impossible to consider a curtailment of production or a discontinuance of these operations."

"However, it was made clear that the company was carrying out an extensive research program to determine methods that might be used to alleviate the fumes."

Raymond L. Tucker, former St. Louis Smoke Commissioner who has been active in behalf of the citizens' group, said the residents had agreed to allow the company a reasonable time in which to improve the situation before taking further action.

Knowlton J. Caplan, chemical engineer and St. Louis County Health Department official, and John Buxell, chief of the Sanitary Division of the City Health Department, have concurred in stating that their analyses of the fumes have not proved they are injurious to health.

TAIL GUNNER SHOT DOWN FOE DURING OWN DEATH DIVE

By REILMAN MORIN
ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA, July 15 (AP).—At one of the Marauder bases today they are talking about three American airmen who wouldn't quit.

One was a tailgunner. He took a Titan fighter pilot with him when he died. The action was seen by Sgt. Joseph H. James Jr. of Greenville, S. C. James said: "Fires were blazing in that ship's right engine and bomb bay and she was falling fast. A Macchi-202 was on her tail as she dropped. The tail gunner kept firing at him all the way down."

"The bomber crashed with a terrific explosion. I expected to see the Macchi pull out of the dive but he didn't. He crashed on almost the same spot. That gunner got him."

The other two they're talking about are Pilot Raymond C. Hellman of Mecca, Cal., and Co-Pilot Lieut. George F. Mackay of Dunn, N. C.

Antiaircraft fire knocked out one engine of their Marauder before they reached their target—Milo Trapani airdrome. They refused to turn back until they reached their objective and dropped bombs. They dropped them and got home safe.

GIVEN FOUR-YEAR TERM FOR LARCENY, JAIL BREAK

Dale Roberts, one of four men who escaped from the County Jail at Clayton June 20, was sentenced to four years in the State penitentiary today by Circuit Judge Julius R. Nolte. Roberts pleaded guilty of grand larceny and jail breaking, and was sentenced to a term of two years on each charge, to be served consecutively.

The larceny for which Roberts was sentenced was a bicycle which he stole to an Overland resident June 8, then stole back that night and resold the following day. Roberts is 22 years old and gave his address at 5822A Easton avenue. He previously had served 18 months at Alcoa Reformatory.



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FIREMEN, CLERKS, STUDENTS AID EAST SIDE RATION BOARD

Firemen, dry goods clerks and business school students are helping the East St. Louis War Price and Rationing Board issue new gasoline A ration books by the date of their validity, July 22. Fifteen firemen have volunteered to work on their days off, the Ration Board said today.

Blumberg's Dry Goods Store, 358 Collinsville avenue, has extended the services of four clerks, and 52 students from a business college also will help.

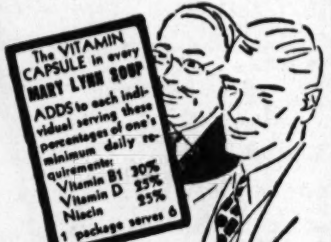
The board had appealed for assistance, stating it was swamped with applications—complicated by numerous errors on the blanks made out by applicants and the failure of many to include tire inspection records.

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Mary Lynn Soup

When your men folks like something, you know it's good. You know Mary Lynn Soup is good when you see them breathe its fragrance gratefully, smile and dip their spoons in utter satisfaction. It's seasoned just right. It's VITAMINIZED, too. Has a vitamin capsule in each package. You add it to the soup for EXTRA nourishment. 1 package serves SIX, takes NO RATION POINTS... hits the hungry spot every time.

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MAYROSE HEAD CHEESE 3 POINTS per lb. 10 to 14 slices in every pound Three slices, less than 1 point	MAYROSE SALAMI 9 POINTS per lb. 45 to 50 slices in every pound Three slices, less than 1 point

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RICE DUBLETS 8 1/2-Oz. Pkg. 10c Kroger's Country Club	BEETS 16-Oz. Glass Jar 11c Packer's Label—Quartered—9 Points
CORN FLAKES 11-Oz. Pkg. 7c Kroger's Country Club	TOMATO JUICE 46-Oz. Can 20c Kroger's Country Club—4 Points
GREEN BEANS No. 2 Can 13c Kroger's Avondale—11 Points	GRAPE JUICE 32-Oz. Bottle 28c Kroger's Country Club—3 Points
WHITE CORN No. 2 Can 12c Kroger's Avondale—16 Points	GRAPEFRUIT JUICE 44-Oz. Can 29c Country Club—4 Points—No. 2 Can 13c—2 Pts.

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Treat the folks to a scrumptious chicken dinner tonight! Top choice from the pick of available stock. Freshly killed; New York dressed.
Lb. 42c

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Real Gulf Flavor—Sand-void out assures finer flavor! No ration points needed on this delicious sea food.

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Possum Trot Farm

Wildlife in the City's Back Yard

By Leonard Hall

OBSEVING the wildlife in the environs of Possum Trot Farm, in the southwest corner of St. Louis County, could hardly compare with stalking mountain sheep in the Canadian Northwest or following the spoor of a Bengal tiger, while seated safely atop an elephant, through the jungles of India. But there is a certain interest and charm, for anyone who loves the out-of-doors, in learning how many of the shy woodland folk may be found

making their homes right in the city's back yard. Some of them we have met quite by accident while going about the regular chores of the farm and found them quite as surprised as we were. Others we have seen while moving quietly through the woods or fields. The important thing, of course, is the matter of keeping one's eyes always open and on the look-out, which becomes the natural habit of the outdoorsman.

Probably the first on our list, since he was in no small measure responsible for naming the place, should be the 'possum. We met him one winter's evening before we had started to build, when we had driven out to the country to watch the sunset above the river. He was under the big persimmon tree beside the road, just where you would expect to find a 'possum, and when we disturbed him went waddling off toward the woods as fast as his stubby legs would take him. Somehow the name Possum Trot, which is a good Ozark name, just naturally seemed to fasten itself to the place, after that experience.

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A FEW MONTHS LATER, when spring arrived, we discovered a whole colony of woodchucks living in the field along the creek. They owned a highly complicated system of burrows with many tunnels and with the dirt piled neatly around the entrances. These fellows always remind me of a small bear, rather than of the porker from whom they take their name of ground-hog. When more than one is feeding in the field near their burrows, you will always see one doing sentry duty, sitting erect on his haunches and keeping a careful watch in all directions.

At the first sign of danger he gives a sharp whistle and the entire family scurries for safety. Farmers don't like the woodchuck because of the amount of clover or alfalfa he eats and because his burrows in a meadow might cause a horse to break a leg. However, we can spare the grass so I think we will keep our colony unless it grows too big.

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GEORGE, OUR NEIGHBOR, told us that the foxes had dens in the rock ledges along our far hill, but it was several months before we saw one. Before that, on a bright winter morning after a light fall of snow, we found his tracks across the snow—as interesting as a story in a book. A covey of quail had spent the night in some thick undergrowth along the creek and after the sun was up, had walked out to the cornfield to feed. The fox had followed them out, stopping now and then to investigate a mouse hole under a corn stalk and once turning aside to traverse a briar patch.

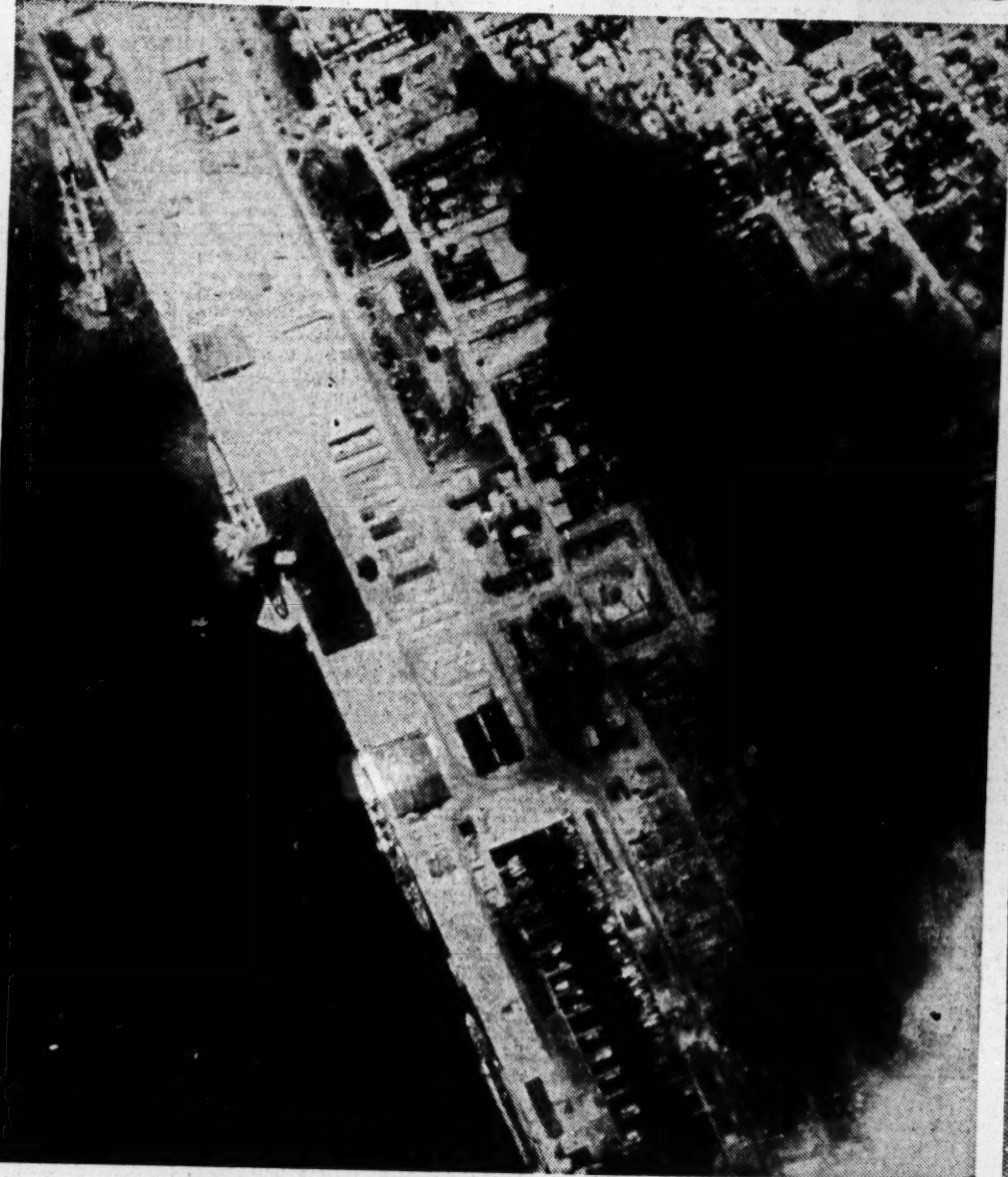
Finally the tracks went off toward the river, and we lost them. Weeks later we were out for a bird-walk one Saturday afternoon. I happened to look across the creek and there in the cornfield was our fox. He stood for a moment watching us, with pointed ears erect, then trotted on his way as though he knew we meant no harm. And just last week, while hoeing down in the garden, I looked up to see the mother fox with two half grown cubs crossing into the woods not more than 50 feet from me. Some night soon, I expect to hear a rumpus in the chicken house!

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ANOTHER NEIGHBOR is our three-legged skunk, a dignified old girl that must have had the misfortune to get caught in a steel trap. I've met her in a friendly way on several occasions but our young setter had a less fortunate experience and was ostracized from human society for two full weeks as a result! One day our cat, Veronica, carried a young chipmunk up from the woods and deposited it unhurt at the door. The little fellow was badly frightened, so we kept him in a box of grass until evening and then took him back to the rocky ledge where his family lived. Gray squirrels live in our woods but, being fair game for the hunters, are far scarcer than in the suburbs. Quail, of course, we have in abundance and can call them up close to the house any evening by listening for a "Bob White" and answering with the covey call. Last week while blackberrying down by the river we flushed a woodcock, the first I have ever seen in Missouri during the summertime, although this beautiful and somewhat mysterious bird is known to nest here. The mother woodcock, when disturbed, has the strange habit of flying off with one of her chicks held in her feet. Then, when the intruder is safely away, she comes back and carries the other chicks to safety.

ALL IN ALL, IT isn't necessary to travel off to some far wilderness in order to enjoy Nature. Almost any bit of woodland or field or marsh can open up opportunities for the amateur naturalist who has patience and an observing eye.

U. S. BOMBS HIT JAP CRUISERS



American Liberator bombers in a long-distance raid catch four Japanese cruisers tied up at the Juliana dock at Makassar in the Dutch Celebes. A bomb has hit the ship at left, and another explodes amidships on the second cruiser from left, the impact causing a splash astern. Smoke rises from a fuel dump which the raiders set afire.

—Associated Press Wirephoto from U. S. Army Air Forces.



OCCUPYING RENDOVA

This picture, first of the American occupation of the island in the Central Solomons, shows trucks, jeeps and other vehicles plowing along a muddy road with supplies landed from transports.

—Associated Press Wirephoto by Radio from Honolulu.



YANKS IN JAPANESE PRISON

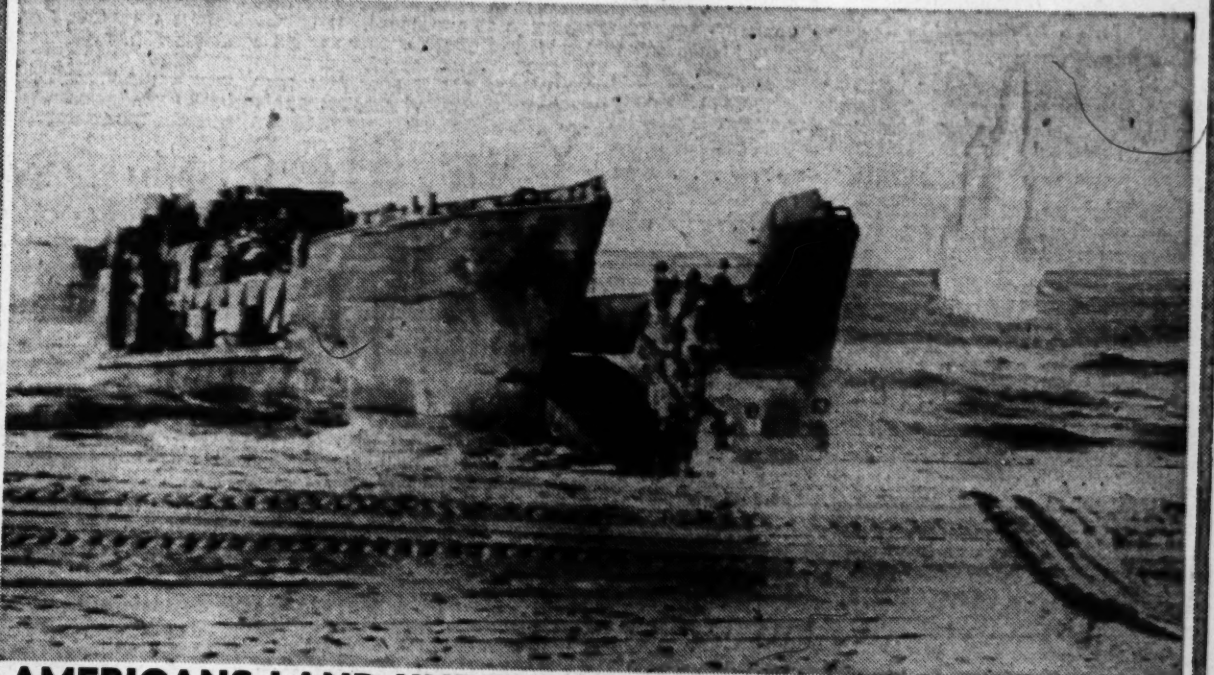
This picture, taken from a Japanese magazine which was attempting to show the good treatment of prisoners, discloses that Americans held at Woosung, China, were not permitted to shave or cut their hair. They are wearing Japanese uniforms instead of their own clothes.

The Invasion of Sicily



BRITISH IN PACHINO

Soldiers with their rifles ready move through the streets of the important town of Pachino in Southeastern Sicily, one of the first to fall to the Allied invaders. This is an official British photograph.



AMERICANS LAND UNDER FIRE

Landing operations on Sicily are speeded up as shells from enemy batteries splash at right. One barge is drawn up on the beach and another maneuvers behind it.



PREPARATIONS ASHORE

As an American truck with a gun-carrying trailer starts down the ramp of a landing barge, troops prepare the Sicilian beach for quick dispersal of vehicles at the opening of the invasion. The men at the center are laying a mat in the sand. Above and to the right a bulldozer is at work.



MAYBE FROM MISSOURI

For the difficult supply jobs ahead the United States Army took along its pack mules. Here a soldier leads one through the surf from a landing boat.

—Associated Press Wirephotos from U. S. Army Signal Corps Radiophoto.

BROADWAY

By WALTER WINCHELL

Man About Town

MARLENE DIETRICH and Jean Gabin, stopping at the Ritz Towers, await foreign assignments. But persistent reporters could get a better front page. . . . It's a girl doll for the Mark Warnows at Doctors Hosp. He's the Hit Parade maestro. She's the former Helen McGowan. . . . Local suspect John Jacob Astor III's next bride will be Lillian Moore, recipient of his latest diamond bracelet. . . . Mrs. Phil Harris (Alice Faye) will shelve the films in the near future to await another image. . . . They say Time-Life Publisher Luce will again support Willkie, who backed Mrs. Luce for Congress. . . . Victor Moore is rumored to have settled \$500,000 on his bride, 22-year-old Shirley Page. . . . Robert Thomas, son of Vandamm, the photographer, and Carol Wheeler of "Life With Father" will merge about Labor day. . . . Lou Holtz says Hollywood is a great place—if you have lots of friends—in a bank.

SPEAKER SAM RAYBURN stopped the investigation of the Wallace-Jones row. . . . Jones is a Garner-for-vice-pres rooster. . . . His severest critics allege that Farley "skipped way" for the third consecutive year directly before the New York State primaries—a test of strength on his leadership. . . . The indictment of Nazi Agent Werner F. Trimler (and the discovery of his Swiss diplomatic passport) will keep the G-men after other neutrals here who think they have immunity. . . . After three months (as suspected) Producer John Wildberg and his bride, recently on the Chicago Sun amusement staff, have drifted. . . . Despite priorities, rationing, etc., the order for the new Sears-Roebuck catalogue is for seven million copies. . . . Ushers at Loew's Lexington shush patrons who hiss news-reel shots—even of those Staten Island spies.

MRS. FDR IS HOLIDAYING at the Nevada ranch with daughter Anna. . . . Also in the vicinity is Ann Durgen, one of the editors of Harper's Bazaar. One of the equerries of the Maharajah of Indore (a Major in the Hindu Army) is giving her the bee's knees. . . . And isn't that Paul Abbott near by? He's a director of the Modern Museum of Art. . . . His cow gal pal there is a Hemstead (L. I.) deb. . . . Lieut. Lee Mortimer of the Mirror reverts to inactive duty after his operation. . . . Edward Stotesbury Lewis, nephew of the Stotesbury clan (who filed in Miami recently), will next wed Evelyn M. Connelly, a phone operator of South 22d street, Philly. The Lewises were wed 30 years. . . . It's a boy for the Earle Hopping Jrs. He's the famed polo player. At Glen Cove Hosp. . . . Mme. Lupescu is making another desperate effort to enter the U. S. from Mexico. To arrange for plastic surgery. . . . Q. Reynolds is unhappy on this mission.

THE METRO STUDIOS are not far from the North American plant, which has a remarkable staff of camouflage experts. . . . When a Metro exec heard about them, he wanted to be sociable and telephoned the North American offices. . . . "We just learned," he said, "that you people are going in for a lot of camouflage and we wanted you to know that on our lot we have several good camouflagers. You may use them at any time." . . . "Well," was the reply, "thanks very much, but you people might as well know it now. From the air—you're North American—and we are M. G. M."

HARRY JAMES' EX-WIFE has a contract with him that nets her \$1000 per week for the life of his band. . . . Champagne is now \$16 a quart in the swank places. Ninety cents for any drink of goof-goo. . . . Society's Mrs. Walter Sufferen Gurnee, veddy reech and pretty, is now on the staff of Life. . . . Henry Ford has decided to continue the newscasts with Roy Porter, instead of an orchestra. . . . Clifton Webb and Libby Holman are having their own cozy little war. . . . Jack Pearl spurned the comic lead in "Artists and Models" because Jane Froman has top billing. . . . Okay, doctor—he will leave quietly.

CASE RECORDS

By Dr. George W. Crane

CASE Z-170: Martin G., aged 38, is the son of a multimillionaire.

"Martin has never amounted to much because of his father's wealth," a mutual friend informed me.

"Martin has lived as a remittance man, always waiting for his father to pay up his debts.

"He went to five different prep schools, but never graduated from any.

"Then he married, but his wife was made a nervous wreck by never knowing when she'd have money to pay the grocery bill. Martin's father was very erratic in sending Martin money.

"Sometimes it would be three or four months, and meanwhile Martin was running up debts.

"HIS FATHER finally died, leaving the entire fortune to his wife. She and a son-in-law were named administrators.

"The old lady is now 75 years of age and in her dotage. Her son-in-law has dissipated a large portion of the inheritance by unwise investments, but he has the old lady wrapped around his finger.

"As a result, Martin is now left out in the cold. His wife has also finally divorced him. His life is practically wasted, for he has spent it in waiting for remittances from father.

"Dr. Crane, who will men or women leave their fortunes to a single person, who may later grow senile or childish and as gullible as a grammar-school youngster?"

LOOK AHEAD when you are bequeathing your fortune or giving large financial endowments to the church or a university. All of us will become senile and childish if we live to a ripe old age. Then we become gullible.

Some designing relative or acquaintance may then cause us to grow hostile to our own children and deprive them of their share of the inheritance which their father or mother planned for them to receive.

Despite our brilliant minds and shrewd business judgment earlier in life, we may become simpletons and fools in old age. It is therefore hazardous to entrust us with the wise custody of wealth.

Instead, leave your fortune in trust to your heirs. If your wife survives you, see that she is adequately cared for financially, but preferably by a fixed monthly income, instead of a large lump sum.

Don't even trust yourself to disburse your fortune angrily in your old age, for you will grow petty and as quarrelsome or jealous as a child.

And be fair with your children. If you have coddled and subsidized them so they are financial weaklings, leaning upon you for subsistence, then make arrangements so they can have a regular fixed monthly income.

Blend Makeup With Wardrobe

By Patricia Lindsay



YOU CAN WEAR ANY COSTUME COLOR IF YOU USE THE RIGHT SHADE OF FACE POWDER.

BECAUSE of the war there is a lack of dyes for the deeper, more conservative shades of dress materials. It is difficult to get a good black, navy blue, dark brown or dark green. Consequently dress designers have turned to the brighter shades of materials and women, tired of the strain of war, eagerly wear them.

This new whim for gay colored clothes creates a new make-up problem. Time was when a box of face powder each season (because our skin tone changes each season) would serve a woman adequately. Now a woman must learn to mix powder shades or she must have a "wardrobe" of face powder shades on hand. For it is not solely a matter of skin tone now but of costume colors also which we must consider.

You will notice that your suntan powder, for instance is not good to wear with a vivid pink dress or a greenish-yellow. Your skin looks dull and colorless. Such colors demand a lighter face powder but still on the beige side—if you wish the radiant tones of your skin to appear.

A little experimenting will soon determine which powder shades you need for your wardrobe and then you can buy them in small quantities or take a few old boxes of powder and do a little mixing yourself. A giant tin salt shaker (such as you use for outdoor picnics) is a handy tool to use for mixing powder.

One of the better make-up producing firms offers eleven shades of scientifically blended powder and they boast that every woman and every costume color can be accommodated by this selection. They agree that costume colors do cast reflections on the skin and eyes. Some appear to strip the skin of color, others seem to add a glow to the skin tone. Because of this many women feel they cannot wear certain colors. But that theory is now exploded. It is contended that you can wear any color if you harmonize your make-up with it—especially your face powder.

der, for face powder is the background for your lipstick and rouge shade.

We are going to have a riot of color this summer, and next winter so you had better seat yourself before a candid mirror in a north or west light and do a little make-up experimenting.

It is true, that face powder can either enhance your skin beauty or strip it of what it has naturally. How awful to see girls and women

with faces looking as if they had dipped them "in a flour barrel," as the men say!

Knowing what NOT to do to be well groomed will aid you in achieving perfection. Write for Miss Lindsay's "The Don'ts of Good Grooming," leaflet No. 1-5, available for five cents, coin preferred. Address here care of the Post-Dispatch, P. O. Box 75, Sta. O, New York, N. Y.

War Ally of Tuberculosis, Says Doctor

By

Logan Clendening, M. D.

WAR, I am afraid, teaches few useful lessons. But I think it is undoubtedly true that World War I taught us a great deal about tuberculosis.

In the first place few even of the most careful and pessimistic students of the subject had any idea of the amount of latent, semi-active tuberculosis in the general population. We had, it is true, few reliable methods of detecting tuberculosis in the early stages during the examination of recruits at that time. But the strenuous and arduous physical exercises which soldiers have to go through rapidly broke down draftees who had been passed by the examining boards and we found, and still have evidence, in our military hospitals of the tremendous extent of unsuspected tuberculosis in the community.

The second thing we learned was that the methods of examination ordinarily employed were inadequate to detect the early or latent case. These methods were primarily the use of the stethoscope, percussion, and the examination of the sputum for tubercle bacilli.

MANY SOLDIERS were passed by the examining boards simply because the involvement of the lungs lay too deep to be revealed by the stethoscope and since then we have learned the astonishing fact that it is easier to recover tubercle bacilli from the stomach contents than from the sputum.

In the years that have passed the great advance in diagnosis has been the use of the X-ray, and all the draftees in the present army have been examined by this method. Roughly, 90 per cent of those who have any trace of tuberculosis are detected and returned home for treatment. I have seen one or two cases in army hospitals of draftees who have broken down under the discipline of drill, but this is nothing compared to the number we had in World War I. Since early detection and early treatment are the key to cure, and cure under these circumstances is possible, the situation is greatly improved from a practical standpoint.

Another aspect of tuberculosis in war is the possibility of an increase in tuberculosis all over the world. For the 50 years up to 1917 there had been a steady decline in the incidence of tuberculosis. In Great Britain tuberculosis increased 6 per cent in the first year of World War I, and 10 per cent in the second. From 1920 to 1937 the incidence of tuberculosis and the death rate in all civilized countries continued its downward trend. But a number of factors are operating to put it on the upgrade again. One is the universal breakdown in food supplies.

TUBERCULOSIS is a disease of lack of nutrition. In the Americas and in Great Britain this cause will probably not operate, but heaven only knows what will happen to the peoples on the continent of Europe. Another factor is the crowding and close personal contact in air raid shelters and also in periods of population movement and distress. Eternal vigilance is the price of freedom from tuberculosis. The decline of the disease in the last century has tended in some quarters to a false sense of security. But as Canadian writer says, "A disease that kills nearly 8000 of the population, leaves at least 30,000 incapacitated, and costs the country directly at least eight million dollars annually, is still a formidable enemy and a major health problem."

Questions and Answers. A. K. B.: Please write about tachycardia, the cause, and cure, etc. If the pulse goes up to 120 and it can be returned to normal by pressure on the neck, what does this mean?

Answer: Tachycardia is simply a symptom. It means rapid pulse. There is the tachycardia of fear, of goiter, of heart disease, etc. Pressure on the carotid sinus in the neck sometimes stops it. When this occurs we assume the tachycardia was caused by functional disturbance of the carotid sinus.

E. S. M.—Will camphor dry up a goiter?

Answer—Neither camphor nor anything else will dry up a goiter.

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Your Stars

By Marion Drew

WHAT TO EXPECT TOMORROW.

Sun in Cancer.

GENERAL Tendencies—Rather surprising and difficult to control seem the forces at work in even the most settled interests of the next 24 hours. Study, correspondence and travel are the best pursuits of the time; emotional matters hold much uncertainty. Business affairs may become confused with personal reactions. Start important actions at some later date if possible, for your associates just now will be tempted to deceive you.

If Tomorrow Is Your Birthday.

You may anticipate a new year of many changes, some financial developments and a wish for speculation. You will be wise to decide questions for yourself, since the advice of others appears almost dangerous during the next few months. Both old and young may take steps to preserve their health, particularly women born upon this date. Men whose birthdate it is will find next January an important period.

Tomorrow's Watchword.

There is still a need for self-restraint shown in the positions of the stars. Cancerian people often eat and drink too much, and since health is also emphasized today, this may well be the cause of some difficulty during the later hours. People born in other solar signs will not consider this advice of great importance, still it really is worth following.

How It Started

By Jean Newton

IT WILL save a lot of acrimony if we begin right now to get used to the idea that lease-lend means not a loan, but a contribution.

As a fact, this is not only being realistic, but, if it makes anybody feel better, scientific, too.

To lease is to grant another possession—on terms, it is true, but

My Day -o-

By Eleanor Roosevelt

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Wednesday

I FLEW into San Francisco yesterday just before dinner time. I was happy to see my youngest son and his wife again and we had a pleasant dinner and evening together. In just a few minutes I am starting off to visit the Oakland and Mare Island hospitals. When I was here before, and saw the other hospitals in this area, I was told that to visit the Mare Island hospital would take an entire day. I could not do so then, but I can today, so we shall try to cover the whole hospital. I hope also to see my grandchildren for a few minutes before I take the plane to Seattle late this afternoon.

Our daughter and her children have been alone now a little over a month since her husband joined the fighting forces overseas. Fortunately, our eldest granddaughter is 16 and so is able to be a great help. The older boy of 13 has also become a very responsible and helpful member of the household. With a little boy of 4 at home, however, and a job which requires a good deal of time every day, our daughter really has been quite a busy person.

In the whole wretched coal strike situation, I am concerned that we should not forget the fact that many of the miners have real grievances, which should be carefully considered. I am going to quote for you a letter which came to me the other day, which I think may have some facts in it which are not generally recognized.

"I am enclosing some of my husband's Illinois statements. These are some of the lowest, but none were very high. His earnings for 1941 were a little over \$800,

not intrinsically so, since it is rooted in the Latin laxare to loose (one's hold on).

To lend is to allow custody and use, the consideration usually being some sort of return, frequently in kind; again this is not intrinsically so, since "lend," though of Anglo-Saxon origin, probably stems from the Latin linguere to leave or part with.

To give is to yield up or deliver

for 1942 they were a little over \$1100. As far as the 30 per cent increase, which time-and-a-half for the sixth day's work were to produce, in all these months the mine where my husband works has worked the sixth consecutive day once, and only once. As a general rule, they do not even work five days a week. These are not bi-weekly statements.

"This is a strip mine and portal to portal pay and equipment upkeep mean no increase there. The policy seems to be to work only enough to keep the men out of the 'rocking chair.' The Government might notice and take the unemployment compensation. They seem to figure that under the tax set-up they make about as much profit with a little work as they would working full time. I wish the Government would take over all natural resources and operate them for the good of the nation instead of for the privileged few."

The above is quoted exactly.

Best-Cabbage Relish

(Can small amount at a time when the supply is available.) Four cups chopped raw cabbage; four cups diced cooked beets; one-half cup chopped green peppers; three cups vinegar; two-thirds cup water; one cup sugar; one tablespoon salt; two-thirds cup corn syrup; one-half teaspoon pepper; one cup grated horseradish.

Mix together cabbage, beets and peppers. Boil rest of ingredients four minutes. Pour over vegetables and boil gently 10 minutes. Pour into hot, sterilized jars, seal at once. Cool and store in dark, cool place.

—unequivocally so; it is an offering and though frequently attached to strings, it embodies a flavor of generosity absent from "lend" or "lease" though etymologically it is very much its equivalent.

It leaves a better taste to give than to lend or lease-lend; and, since it will cost the same, we ought to call lease-lend a gift and get the credit while we put up the cash.

THEY'LL DO IT EVERY TIME—By Jimmy Hatlo



Boneless Smoked Pork Butt One pork butt (from two and one-half to three pounds); one tablespoon molasses; one thin onion slice; four celery leaves; water to cover; four whole cloves. Scrub meat. Place in a kettle, add molasses and seasonings. Cover by two inches with cold water. Add lid and bring slowly to boil. Simmer until meat is tender—about two hours. Remove meat from stock; strain stock and it can be used as the base for vegetable soup. Place in a kettle, add molasses and seasonings. Cover by two inches with cold water. Add lid and bring slowly to boil. Simmer until meat is tender—about two hours. Remove meat from stock; strain stock and it can be used as the base for vegetable soup. Place in a kettle, add molasses and seasonings. Cover by two inches with cold water. Add lid and bring slowly to boil. Simmer until meat is tender—about two hours. Remove meat from stock; strain stock and it can be used as the base for vegetable soup.

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My OPINION

By MARTHA CARR

Dear Martha Carr:

I AM a woman, age 28, married to a man the same age, and have a little girl, age 11, by my first marriage. When we were first married, my husband was the nicest, kindest man you ever saw. Now after four years of marriage, he comes

Letters intended for this column must be addressed to Martha Carr at the St. Louis Post-Dispatch. Mrs. Carr will answer all questions of general interest but, of course, cannot give advice on matters of a purely legal or medical nature. Those who do not care to have their letters published may enclose an address and stamped envelope for personal reply.

home, eats, gets restless and goes out every evening and leaves me alone till 10:30 or 11 p. m. He seldom says a word to me; just sits around with his mind far away. He tries to tell me what to cook and orders me around. His people used to visit us, but have

stopped all at once, though I have treated them nicely, and try to make my home as comfortable as possible. Do you think he still loves me, or shall I leave him? WONDERING.

No, you shouldn't up and leave him, just like that. Try first to figure out just what is wrong with your marriage, what is troubling your husband, for a man doesn't just suddenly become the opposite of his old self without some reason. Possibly you devote too much time to your little girl and your husband feels neglected; perhaps you have failed to keep yourself as attractively dressed and as companionable as you formerly did; perhaps you have not been willing to go places with him when he wanted to go and so he has got out of the habit of asking you. Get some new clothes and a new hair-do; see that the child is cared for occasionally in the evenings and suggest a movie, plan an evening of dancing as in the old days, or go to the home of friends for a game of bridge. Have a congenial couple over for dinner now and then when you can wangle the points, or to play cards at your house. If you will try to see to it that there is some sort of a program planned for evenings when your husband is home, take an interest in him, see that you keep up with mutual friends, that would at least be a beginning toward ironing out your difficulties.

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IN ANSWER TO "P. K.": Whether age 16 that the boy thinks you, or the 14 that you are, you should not be thinking marriage at either age. You may love him deeply now, as you say, and feel that you can't live without him, but it is natural in the teens to love one boy today and another quite as overwhelmingly a week from now, so don't make any promises to the boy who is entering the service. Talk your second problem over with your mother.

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IN ANSWER TO "Interested": Here in St. Louis there is no special training given to girls desiring to become dental assistants. The nearest place for such training is Kansas City University, which gives a dental hygienist course in its School of Dentistry. For information regarding Army and Navy nurses, go to the Red Cross Nursing Service, 1320 Grattan street.

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Dear Martha Carr:

I AM A DAILY READER of your column and a few weeks ago read about the country folks visiting the city folks and bringing their ration books. I think the city folks should do the same thing. I live in the country and three guests dropped in last week end and drank lots of tea and coffee, but brought along no sugar, coffee, tea or stamps. I bought two pounds of bacon—16 points—74 cents for breakfast, as our own meat hogs died last fall from cholera. I drove seven miles for 100 pounds of ice—cost 61 cents. These guests went frogging and hunting, dressed their catch and then threw skin, etc., right out into my front yard. We farmers do not have our cellars full, as we have to depend on the weather and the ability to get workers for our daily food. There are very few early gardens, indeed, in my part of the country, as we have had too much rain. So, city folks, won't you please be a little more considerate when it comes to visiting the country cousins?

MOTHER HUBBARD.

Wedding Question

By Emily Post

BRIDE asks: "Is it possible to mix ring ceremonies at a double wedding. The complicating detail is that my sister's bridegroom does not want a ring, but my own bridegroom does. So how can it be managed—or can't it?"

The answer is that it can—and very easily! Nobody can possibly know whether there is a double ring ceremony or not; the proceeding being merely this: When your own bridegroom hands your ring to the clergyman he holds out his left hand to you and you put his ring on his finger; and he then takes your ring from the clergyman and puts it on your finger and says after the clergyman, "With this ring I thee wed," etc. You say nothing when you put his ring on. But you should tell the clergyman beforehand, so that he will make a slight pause before giving your ring back to your bridegroom.

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DEAR MRS. POST: If a hostess leaves the dining table to serve, should she place her napkin on the table or on her chair? I have always believed she left it on the table, but a friend tells me that the chair is the better place if one must leave the table.

Answer: Folded compactly at the left side of the plate is the proper way to leave it. Sprawling over chair is the way a carelessly trained child leaves it.

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DEAR MRS. POST: What happens in a case like this? This is a small town where people still pay rather punctilious attention to leaving cards on newcomers. When we moved here two years ago a certain family whom we rather expected would call, did not, and never have. Our son and their daughter met within the last year. We knew that they were friends, but we had no idea that they were in love until our son told us of his engagement to her just before he left for camp. Undoubtedly, the war accelerated things. But this is the point in question: The engagement is going to be announced very shortly. By rule I am supposed to call on the other family, being the man's mother. But having been completely ignored by this other family during the past two years, do you think I ought to go, or wait to be invited, or send a note and say I would like to come at some time that is convenient. This does not seem to be the usual situation and I thought perhaps ordinary rules might have to be altered.

Answer: This does put you in a rather difficult situation. But since the obligation of the mother of the man to call upon the girl and her mother is greater than the obligation of a citizen to call upon a newcomer, I should in your place go and leave cards with an invitation to the mother asking her and her daughter to come to tea. Or you might write a note to the daughter asking her to come to see you. After all, proof that they could not have meant to be rude is the fact that they have welcomed your son as a member of their family.

Economical Menus for Tomorrow

By Meta Given

ONE-DISH meals rule the kitchen when hot weather comes. It's not so much a question of making your work easier as it is of using only one burner of the stove and getting a whole meal out of one pan. Besides cutting down the amount of heat needed to cook with, this also reduces the quantity of hot water needed to wash the dishes. And when the one-dish meal in question consists of meat and noodles, it has another advantage: It stretches those precious points by making a little meat go a lot farther. You'll see the plan in operation when you try this sausage and noodle dish, which puts a few red points and a few blue points together and turns out a thoroughly satisfying dinner dish.

Sausage and Noodle Casserole. One-half pound pork sausage links, three cups tomato juice, one teaspoon salt, one-half of 7-ounce package noodles, one cup diced celery, two tablespoons chopped green pepper, one tablespoon chopped onion, one cup grated carrot.

Cut each sausage link into three pieces (or use loose sausage meat). Brown well in a large skillet; then pour off grease. Add tomato juice to sausage and heat to boiling. Add salt and noodles, cover and cook briskly about eight minutes. Add celery, green pepper and onion; again cover and cook about eight minutes longer, or until noodles are done and vegetables barely cooked. Just before serving, stir in the grated carrot. Serve piping hot, with a sprinkling of grated cheese, if desired. Four servings.

MENUS FOR FRIDAY.

Breakfast. Sliced oranges, four large oranges; hot oatmeal, one and one-half cups quick cook rolled oats, three cups boiling water, one and one-half teaspoons salt, top milk, sugar; toast and butter, eight slices enriched bread, butter or fortified margarine; coffee (for adults), three tablespoons coffee; milk (for children), two cups milk.

Luncheon. Toasted cheese sandwiches, eight slices enriched bread, one-third pound cheese (three red points), butter or fortified margarine; tossed vegetable salad, one-half head lettuce, one-half green pepper, two tomatoes, parsley, French dressing; fresh blackberries, one and one-half pints fresh blackberries, sugar, cream; cookies, one-third pound bought cookies; milk for all, one quart milk.

Dinner. Sausage and noodle supreme (see recipe—three red points), use tomato juice from Wednesday; hard-boiled eggs, one No. 2 tin sliced beets (nine blue points), one-half cup beet juice, one-fourth cup vinegar, one-fourth cup sugar, one tablespoon cornstarch, one-half teaspoon salt, dash pepper; green beans, one pound green beans, margarine, seasoning; hard rolls, eight bought hard rolls, butter or fortified margarine; baked custard, two eggs, one-fourth teaspoon salt, one-third cup sugar, two and one-half cups milk, one-third teaspoon vanilla, bake at 325 degrees for 40 to 50 minutes, iced tea (for adults), two teaspoons tea; milk (for children), two cups milk.

Styles for Short Women

By Beth Blair



COAT DRESS OF SHEER NAVY CREPE, TRIMMED WITH WHITE PIQUE AT NECKLINE AND SLEEVES.

TWO-PIECE WHITE CREPE SUIT DRESS, WITH ROYAL BLUE POLKA DOTS AND BINDINGS.

BLACK SHEER CREPE, TRIMMED WITH BLACK FRINGE, ARRANGED IN A WAY THAT GIVES WIDTH TO THE SHOULDERS, SLIMNESS TO THE HIPLINE.

JUST as the famed "L-85," the original Government order regulating the use of fabrics, has proved a blessing to fashions in general by simplifying them, so it and subsequent regulations are seen as a special boon to the woman who is short, yet who has a mature figure. It was she who needed the slimming and simplifying the most, and so she has profited most.

The tall, slender girl who has the figure of a model can wear almost anything. The woman who is so slight that she can wear junior sizes has little trouble with styles. They are exceptions to the general rule, however. Most women fall into neither class. Shorter with a bit more width through the hips, perhaps through the waist, and in the upper arm, they need simpler clothes.

These women have long depend-

are being produced in preference to the fancy weaves, because they require less time and labor in the weaving—both factors of great importance at the present. Colors too are flattering, plain medium and dark tones that take well to white or light trimming, that combine beautifully with other tones, that are often interesting enough without any trimming.

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You'll find good dresses for daytime in dark sheers, in small prints and in those flatteringly and useful medium tones. Details that keep them slimming and becoming are their shoulder trimmings or yokes, which tend to make hips slimmer, just as do the wide shoulders. They are made in one and two piece styles, the coat dress a popular type for the one-pieces. It is slenderizing in its very lines, and so practical because it opens right up for pressing.

Suit dresses come with and without dickeres and many of them may be used as a suit, with a blouse. With their deep V necklines, short jackets or peplum effects, they are flattering to the entire figure. Most of them have straight long or bracelet-length sleeves, which are not wide enough

We Are All Better for Sharing

By Angelo Patri

IT was warm the other day and Sonny had been working hard to help Grandpa trim the grass along the walk, carry it off to the waste heap, sweep the walk and put away the tools. He wiped the perspiration off his face and said, "It's awful hot today, Grandpa, isn't it?"

"Surely is," said Grandpa, looking benevolently at his 5-year-old helper. "I believe it would do no harm to give you the price of a chocolate soda. Here's the 'leven cents. Go down to Sam's and get yourself a nice cool drink."

Sonny ran off delighted with himself and his world. Just as he was at Sam's door, his mouth all set for that chocolate soda, he met Barney. Now Barney got few treats at any time and now, with pennies being counted for War Savings, such things as ice cream sodas were out for the duration. Even 5-year-olds know that.

"Where you going, Sonny?" "Here. To Sam's." "What you going in for?" "For an ice cream chocolate." "Oo,ooo." "Come along." "I can't. I haven't any money." Sonny looked troubled. He looked at the dime and the cent in his hand, then at the shining soda fountain, then at his friend's sad face. Suddenly his face lighted. "Yes, you have. We got 'leven cents. Come ahead."

Two barelegged, slim-bodied little chaps climbed to the top of the high stools and looked with round expectant eyes at Sam in his white apron.

"One large chocolate soda with ice cream, and TWO straws," said Sonny in his large voice. Sam made it the biggest one he could pile in and stuck two straws, one at either side of the glass, laid two long handled spoons before his guests, and swept the 'leven cents into the register.

Many a child will have to ask

My Neighbor Says:

A delightful nut flavored sauce is made by adding one-fourth cup peanut butter to one cup white sugar with a little cinnamon and melted butter and spread on hot toast points. Reheat and serve.

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Don't Be Too Eager to Get Early Tricks

By Ely Culbertson

IN yesterday's column I illustrated the point that holdup plays are not nearly as simple as is generally believed. Today's deal documents this point even more thoroughly.

South, dealer.

Both sides vulnerable.

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K J 10 6 3	Q 9 2
K 4 2	8 5
9 7 2	Q J 10 6
K 6 3 2	
A 8 5	
Q 10 7 3	
8 4	
NORTH	EAST
WEST	SOUTH
A Q J	
7 4	
A J 6 5	
A K 6 3	

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1 diamond	Pass	1 heart	Pass
2 no trump	Pass	3 no trump	Pass
Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass

West got off to the good lead of the club eight. Dummy's nine and East's ten were played and declarer won. A low heart was then led from the closed hand and, when West properly ducked, declarer just as properly played dummy's ten-spot.

Right at this point, 1 fear, 99 out of 100 players in the East position would unhesitatingly toss in the heart queen to capture the trick; indeed, it would not ever occur to them to do otherwise. Yet the fact remains that this innocent play is the end of effective defense. After the winning with the queen, East can return any card in his hand without disturbing declarer very much. Let's suppose he selects a diamond. Declarer, taking no chance of losing dummy's only entry, the diamond king, clatters up with the ace and leads his remaining heart. West's heart ace is knocked out on either this or the succeeding round, and nothing can prevent declarer from winning at least two spade tricks, three hearts, two diamonds, and two clubs, thereby fulfilling his contract.

All this, however, is merely what would have happened if East had captured the heart ten with the queen. What did happen was entirely different, because East, without the flicker of an eyelash, played the heart deuce. Observe what this did to the poor declarer. It was impossible for him to know what was going on; from his point of view, the heart queen had been "located." Hence the following line of play was completely normal. First, he led a spade to the jack. West won and shifted back to clubs. Declarer captured East's jack and led his remaining heart. At this point, West would have wrecked his partner's coup if he had put up the ace, but he did not fall into that trap. He played low and now declarer did just what every other fine player would do; he played dummy's jack. This time East pounced on the trick with the queen—and declarer never made another heart trick. Moreover, and what was more to the point, he could not find the nine tricks needed for his contract.

(Write your bridge troubles and problems to Ely Culbertson, care of the Post-Dispatch, enclosing a self-addressed, stamped envelope.

Bettina Custard Pudding

(Corn syrup sweetened.)

One cup boiled rice, two eggs, beaten (or four yolks); one-fourth teaspoon salt, one teaspoon vanilla, one-fourth teaspoon lemon extract, one-fourth teaspoon almond extract, one-half cup light corn syrup, three cups milk.

Mix ingredients and bake one hour and 10 minutes in pan of hot water in a moderately slow oven (300 degrees).

Vegetable Main-Dish Salad

One cup cooked peas (fresh), two-thirds cup cooked green beans (fresh), one-half cup diced celery, one tablespoon minced onions, two hard-cooked eggs, diced; one-third teaspoon salt, one-fourth teaspoon paprika, one-half cup boiled salad dressing.

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Beat yolks, gradually add milk, stirring constantly. Add juice, rind, salt, and berries. Add sugar to whites and beat a minute. Fold into milk blend. Pour into crumb crust. Bake 30 minutes in moderate oven (350 degrees). Serve cold.

Orange-Raisin Sauce
Three tablespoons sugar; three tablespoons flour; one-half teaspoon salt; two-thirds cup water; one-half cup orange juice; one-half teaspoon grated orange rind; one-half cup raisins; one tablespoon margarine or butter; one tablespoon lemon juice or vinegar.
Thoroughly blend sugar, flour and salt. Add water, juice and rind. Cook slowly, stirring constantly, until creamy. Add rest of ingredients and simmer five minutes.

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Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS
1. Fasten firmly
4. Evaporating pan for sugarmaking
9. Strike gently
12. Wing
13. Of the country
14. River: Spanish
15. Decay
16. Positive electric pole
17. Mountain in Costa
18. Discovers
20. Limited
22. Beverage
23. Steep
25. Made up of small particles
27. East Indian tree
28. Declare

DOWN
21. Correlative of either
22. Decisive moment
23. South American river
24. Hauled
25. Enthusiast
26. American
27. Indian
28. Rigorous
29. Down: prefix
30. Location
31. Masculine nickname
32. Lively dance
33. Raises
34. Pasten
35. Ammonia derivative
36. Special abilities
37. Turkish cap
38. Harden
39. Take food
40. Infatuation

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle.

DOWN
1. Post
2. Century plant
3. Flexible palm stem
4. Vestige
5. Parent's sister
6. Traverses
7. Possessed
8. Gum resin
9. Belonging to the first ages
10. Assistant
11. Tailless leaping amphibian
12. Choose by vote
13. Masculine name
14. Treasured
15. Concentrate
16. Angry
17. Two-pronged spear
18. After song
19. Badgerlike animal
20. Action at law
21. East Indian weight
22. Gained
23. Eagle's nest
24. Robe
25. Measure
26. Group of nine
27. Simulate an attack
28. Supplications
29. At a distance
30. Measure
31. Host
32. Ancient Irish city
33. Remain
34. And not

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Mix ingredients and pour into loaf pan, lined with waxed paper. Bake one and one-fourth hours in a moderately slow oven (300 degrees). If unsalted nuts are used add one teaspoon salt to this recipe.

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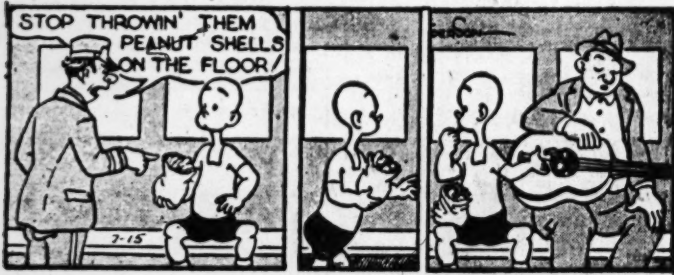
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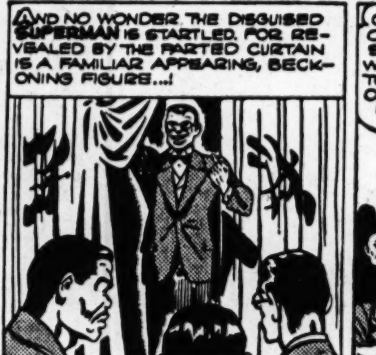
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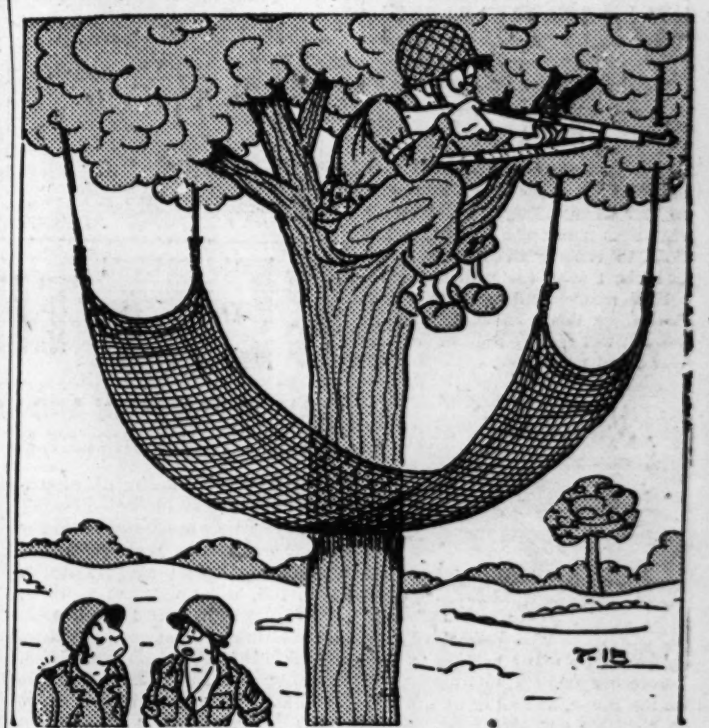
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